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FIRST DAY'S RESULTS.

ce'd in fine weather. The course was crowded and

conditions were excellent as the first couple started

maintained his wonderful form and broke the course

record; he led the field on the first round with 70.

At the conclusion of the day, he jointly headed the

list with Havers of Coombe Hill each with scores of

151; the Americans Farrell 152, Mcdonald Smith 153;

the Britishers Duncan, Ray and Mitchell 154; Tolley

156; the South African Brews, and Sandy Herd

164; the American Aulbach 174.

157; Taylor 158; the American Diegel 160; Braid

KNIVES AND PISTOLS.

FIERCE HIGH SEAS FIGHT.

CHINESE IMPLICATED.

A fierce fight on the high seas, which is said to

to the captain for smuggling Chinese ashore near

New York is reported by passengers of the steamer

'Mary Beatrice" which arrived here yesterday

Hook. Knives, pistols and axes were used. Sever-

al seamen were killed and cast into the sea. All

the survivors have surrendered to the American

HUNT FOR OIL.

PERSIA'S BAIT.

The Mejliss has authorised the Government to

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Next on the list were Hagen 147; Gordon Lock-

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Whitcombe, mentioned in Tuesday's-cable,

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CIVIL WAR?

BULGARIAN OUTBREAK.

GOVERNMENT CHANGES.

(Router's Service to the China Mail.)

The administrative staffs have been dismissed. Surrey beat Warwickshire at Birmingham by he new prefects and sub-prefects are mostly re-45 runs. For Warwick Howell took 7 wickets for seria officers whose appointments are officially ex-53 and 5 for 59. P. G. H. Fender (Surrey) secured 7 wickets for 34, in the first Warwick innings and patited by the fact that the officer class suffered min the war and afterwards. They were dis-At Northampton, Yorkshire beat Northampton- mistral from the army in consequence of the disarshire by an innings and 60 runs. For the winners manner treats of the Treaty of Neuilly and their

Holmes scored 83 and Waddington secured 6 pensions are inadequate. The former Premier Guechoff who is awaiting [Curious to relate, all the players whose names trial will be sent on a special diplomatic mission to are mentioned in the telegram have represented London.

England in Test Matches at one time or another. The new Government has suspended all the Fender, Howell and Hitch have played both in laws passed by its predecessors and sequestrated England and Australia; Holmes in England against the property of M. Stambulisky's ministers. The Australia; Waddington was in the team which toured | Agrarian leaders have been released. The formet. Australia in 1920-21 and Fender has also played in ministers are still not sentenced. Stambulisky's fate is still a mystery. The former Minister Oboff has escaped into Rumania.

According to messages from Prague, Buk-At Horsham, Sussex defeated Glamorgan by an innings and 270 runs, thanks to Bowley scoring 120, harest, and Belgrade, fighting is proceeding in A. J. Holmes 93 and Tate 76. Tate also took 8 various parts of Bulgaria, but the Bulgarian Legation in London states that everything is quiet.

BELGIAN POLITICS.

BI-LINGUAL QUESTION ACUTE.

CABINET RESIGNS.

BRUSSELS, June 14 The Cabinet has resigned in consequence of purliamentary difficulties over the question of the Flamandisation of the Ghent University.

. A bill providing for the transformation of Ghent into a predominantly Flemish university passed by the Chamber in December marks the crux of the bi-lingua question and is responsible for the acutest

The bill when recently introduced in the Senate heart of Gleneagles 149; Robert Scott of Glasgow 150; day by 140 to 4 votes whereupon M. Thomas, the Premier, submitted his resignation.

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GRAVE AGAIN.

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the B Division, the former team good run. The likely C.R.C. for league honours.
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visiting Sookumpoo Valley beat the Towing to the state of the ground. Indians by the marrow margin of Another interesting match to one game but last year the Indians I watch will be that between Queen's on the same ground reversed the College and the Indians in the B. decision by the same score 50/49. Di vision which is to take place to Owing to the inclement weather Rumishna & Ispails all of whom, As mentioned in last week's there was but one league match from information gathered, are in Topics, both teams have had but played last week, that between the good form and will there one defeat and whoever loses this IR.C. & the Club de Recreio in fore give the Chinese a match will be out of the running

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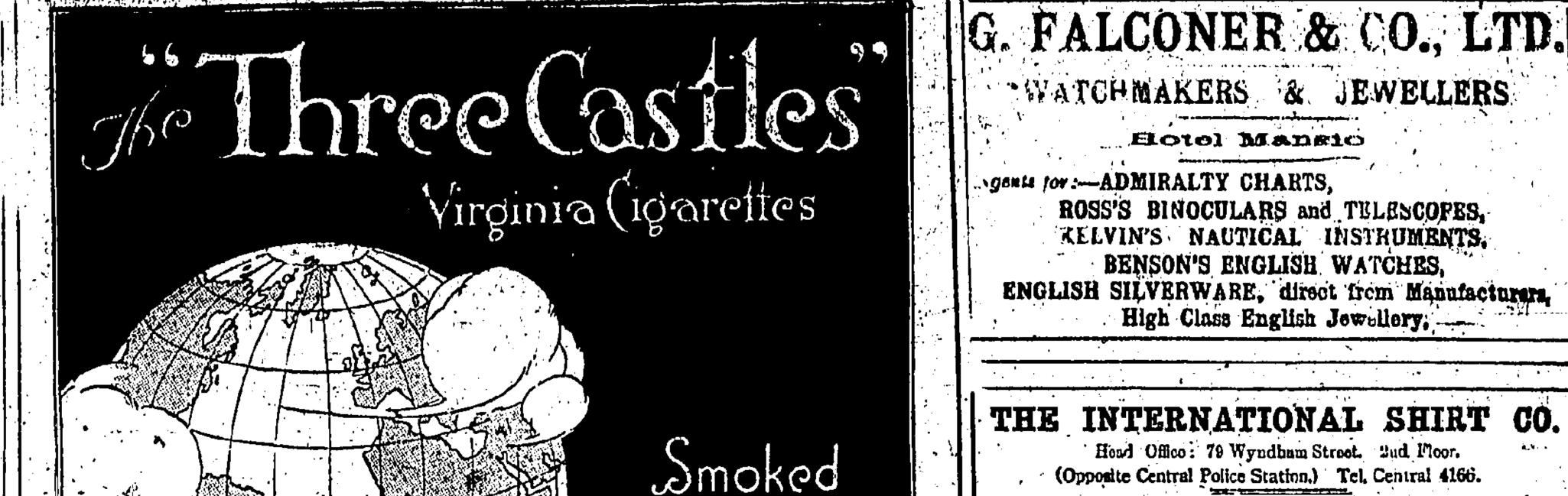
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they do to fishing, were referred to lard draws attention to the compres-at the annual meeting of the Eastern Sea Fisheries Board held at Spalding. The Fisheries inspector pears's plays underwent at the hand said that, on the principal rendez- of the actors of this time: "If we vous, which was the Dog's Head take a case where we have both a very seriously against the solemnity Sand, he had counted on one day quarto text and the folio, for in-300 old and young seals, some of stance. 'Lear,' we find that both girine from all parts of the world, them not long born. On another texts have been abridged, and that and that if rubber paving blocks point, the Inner Knock, 100 seals there are some 80 lines in the folio were utilised visitors would be imhad been counted. On the Roger which the quarto omits, and some pressed by the husb, and the public Sand, notwithstanding that vessels 190 lines in the quarto which the at large receive a reminder that they passed within 300 or 400 yards, folio omits. How many lines there are approaching this great national

sixty seals had been observed. Babies Born With Teeth.

M. Bolard, a surgeon of Bordeaux, has reported to the local The lecture is indispensable to stu- paying of Whitehall, which is inmedical society a case of twin boys, dents of Shakespeare and is un adone of whom was born with all his mirable example of the soundness teeth, and the other having cut a and breadth of British criticism: tooth twelve days after birth Confidence Tricks. "This is a very rare occurrence, of which only about 50 cases have been recorded in medical literature;" physician told a reporter. "It used to be regarded as a portent that the

child would grow up with exceptienal strength or mental ability. King Richard III., Louis XIV., the great philosopher Bigot, and Boyd the poet, were born with teeth. Louis XIV, had two teeth at birth. Children's Crimes.

A report on the work of the Scotland Yard left for home, liable to steal at some period of their victims are generally "birds of paslives. The largest number of sage in the towns or cities where offences, it was found in an analysis they are swindled, of cases from four towns; were com- "Mah Jong." dron have the most leisure.

Theatre Jest was worn, and in the Court scene (I am not sure how to spell it.) lon a modern bedetted.

Shakespeare "Cuts." A lecture on "The Foundations of Shakespeare's Text," read by Prof. Alfred Polard, has been published shops: for the British Academy (Milford, | The increasing number of seals 1s.), on the occasion of the tercenin the Wash and the great damage tenary of the first folio. Mr. Pol-

folio omit no one can now tell."

Sir William Horwood, the Chief Commissioner of the London Metropolitan Police has left London for New York for the purpose of attending a conference of the police chiefs of the world. An outcome of the attempt to co-ordinate the detective services of the world has been Future Aerial Wonders. apparent for some time. Only a few weeks ago Norwegian detectives who had been undergoing a course of instruction in the methods of Children's Brunch of the Home members of the Ulster Constabulary Office, dealing with juvenile courts have also been studying under the and reformatories and industrial London police. One of the greatest be at the bottom of much of the annually attempts to solve to ow to that there is almost no end to what report are:-It would be wrong to In every country in the world he found in children of all classes. their money over to complete

mitted on Sunday, when the chil- I've got a Jew friend whose eyeteeth were skinned before he was born, says a Glasgow Herald writer. The Birminghain Reportory I've played poker with him once-Theatre has made the experiment of that't all. I met him a fortnight playing "Cymbeline" in modern ago, and he wanted to know if I dress. Morning and evening dress had learned to play Mah Jong yet? extravagance, was in the battle be interested in it then I wasn't.
scene, in which officers and men But from all I can bear the game wore khala, and the latter steel is making such progress that it will helmets of approved trench type shortly be the craze of the time, Their weapons were modern, and and many life-long devotees of what, were supposed to be hig guns Bridge and Whist are foreaking roared accompaniments to the hand-those games for this Chinese per Virst application gives relief. When a to-hand scuilles. The Romans for mance Of course the Chinese bettle of it is kept to the house the pain were in Italian uniforms, the doctor were finished gamblers when the of burns and scalds may be promptly were in Italian uniforms, the doctor were finished gamblers when the of burns and benieve objects heals a were in Luciant inflorms, the doctor were innested gambiers when the or ourse and scales may be promptly was in black cost and grey trousers unciont Britons were painting them and scales may be promptly healed and a bowler hat, the women were selves in blue patterns, and Mah for the household illed in its just such an fashionable costumes, and Imogén Jong' as a Chinese game is as old embrocation as overy temily should be in the bedchamber scene regimed as all that But if you aspine to be provided with Afor all therefore. dans la movement them son Il and Stores cores

have to learn how to manipulate and gamble with the ivory tablete with which the game is played. They are already on sale at lots of

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A proposal has been laid before the Works Committee of the Westminster City Council that the roadway by the Cenotaph in Whitehall should be paved with rubber blocks. The suggestion was made that "the noise of passing vehicles militates of the pilgrimages made to this may have been in the original manu- monument." The Works Comscript which both the quarto and mittee, having considered the suggestion in connection with the recluded in the list of thoroughfares to be dealt with as a whole, decided to leave the matter in abeyance pending further developments in rubber-paving experience. With regard to the noise of traffic at the Conotable, that was more or less accentuated by the present state of the roadway, which would be relaid this year, and this would materially reduce the noise of traffic.

Such a forecast as that recently indulged in by Major-Gen. William Selton Brancker, at the third annual air conference in London, does not arouse, to-day the overwhelming comment of skeptical astonishment it would have done afew years ago, because practically schools, says that poverty seems to difficulties that the conference everyone has reached the conclusion juvenile crime. Other points in the deal with the confidence trickster. is likely to be accomplished shortly in commercial air ventures, says the assume that boys and girls who prospers. This is mainly because of Christian Science Monitor. Howappear in the juvenile courts come the shyness of victims in coming over, it does seem worthy of record from criminal homes. The same forward to make public the stories that he declared he was looking for spirit of mischief and adventure is of how simple they were in handing the launching, in the not distant future, of regular passenger airships Children in all stations of life are strangers. Another reason is that to ply between London and New York, which would cover the distance in twelve hours and be large enough to carry 200' passengers and ten tone of mails and other freight What, moreover, another speaker at the same conference said as to the factor of safety should do much to dissipute fears regarding air travel: Of the more than 30,000 passengers who travelled on various British commercial air routes last year, he declared, not a single one had rethe King and Queen appeared in said no, and montally registered a name or nature.

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MAIL WEEK NEWS.

ITEMS FROM FAR AND NEAR :

In London there are 4,000 deaf and dumb people and 400 deal, blind, and dumb.

Powers are being sought to have platinum hall-marked in the same way as gold and silver.

The Atlantic Fleet, with the flagship "Queen Elizabeth," arrived at

Mr. Peter Stork, of Holytown, anarkshire has completed 75 years' work as a miner. He was eight when he started. After having visited Antwerp, the

King and Queen of Spain left Brussels for Ypres and Paris, on their way back to Madrid.

The figures of the 1921 Census, for the county of Surrey show males 425,023 (increase 34,628). females 505,063 (increase 49,880).

Through the bursting of a water main at Bargoed, Monmouthshire, about 100,000 in the Rhymney Valley were without water during the week-end.

The extent of the emption of DURING the temporary absence Mount Etya, Sicily, has appreciably from the Colony of our diminished, and the crater formed Managing Director Mr. Wei Wing by the 1911 eruption shows only

> · For 27 years a guard on the Great Western Railway midnight express o Plymouth, Mr. Charles Stacey has completed 2,000,000 miles on official journeys.

The London County Counci decided to sell the freehold of Clerkenwell Sessions House, where he London Sessions were held till 1920, for £26,500:

Two 14-years-old boys who tried to open a safe with hammers and chisels were at Glasgow Sheriff Court ordered to receive 6 strokes with the birch each.

Superintendent Thomas Alfred Burrows, of the "E" Division, Liverpool City Police, after 15 years' service, has been appointed. Chief Constable of Reading.

Twenty children and two women on the roof of a shed which collapsed a foundation-stone laying at Bo ness, Linlithgowshire, escaped with slight cuts and bruises.

An earthquake is reported to have future if this space is exceeded they wrecked several buildings at Vallewill be placed in the advertising nar, in Atscama, Chile, and at Car. rizalillo, farther north, a tidal wave caused the population to flee.

> It was stated in Parliament that 427 vessels of 1,890,896 gross tons have been received by Britain from Germany under the peace treaty and were sold for £20,248,531.

French business houses are shortly to be allowed to hire from the post-office a machine which franks letters and obliterates stamps, accounts being settled at the end of the month.

The burial of Sir William Robertson Nicoll, the late editor of the British Weckly, took place in Highgate Cemetery after a service in St. 'Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Hampstead.

Spanish troops in Tripoli have defeated 1,500 rebels, who lost 200 dead, and in a skirmish in Morocco scattered a contingent of rebels which attacked in a fog, inflicting heavy casualties.

Approximately £1,000 was saved in Government departments by the economy label envelopes (enabling envelopes to be. used several times over) during the year ended March 31.

Lasting benefit would be conferred on the community by the abolition of building rings and the relaxation of building trade union restric-City of Victoria after B p.m., or be dis tion of building trade union results. charged to the East of Hay View Police tions, said the Bishop of Bradford,

> Ex Chief Detective Inspector Harries, of Cardiff, who died November, aged 49, leaving £1,107 1s. 9d., in his will asked his nephew, Christopher Taylor, to wear the scarfpin he received from the Prince

Plenty of work and the heart to do it was mentioned as the best cure for our present ills by Mr. Justice Sankey when he congratulated Yorkshire on the lightness of the calendar in charging the Grand Jury at Leads Assizes.

Under the section of the Versailles built for the Allies by German shipyards by way of reporations, two steamers are now being constructed for Italian account by the Valcan Works and the Hamburg and Stottin Company.

MONSTER LEECHES.

LAND OF MYSTERY AND HORROR.

"Patrolling in Papua" (T. Fisher Unwin, 21s.) is an admirable account by Mr. W. R. Humphries, an assistant-resident magistrate, of his adventurous ijourneys in the company of ex-cannibals through the swamps and almost inaccessible mountains of that extremely inhospitable island, which is now probably the least known territory on the face of the earth. The big and vicious: Lieutenant-Governor of Papua, Mr. J. H. P. Murray, contributes an he says, people not familiar with an opportunity to get at our blood. the territory might have been afraid One can only contemplate with to trust them; but no one has this horror the fate of a lonely traveller Papuan murder is not a crime as we way, in a locality where leeches consider it; it is sometimes a duty, swarm.

laxation, and always a passion. the natives collected to attack taking a single native life.

Seaf Sirioin .- Mei Lung Pa ... 1b.

.. Rosat,-Shiu

... &Steak,-Ngan Yuk Pa

. Steak Sirloin,-Ngan Lan .,

Breast,-Ngan Nam

Scup,-Tong Yuk 1/ 26

Sausages, - Ngan Cheung ..

Sallock's Brains,-Ngan No per set 12

Tongue, fresh,-Ngan Li cach 60

Tongue, corned,-Ham Ngan Id

Head,-Ngau Tau... each 1.00

Heart,-Ngau Sam... 1b. 16

Hump, Salt-Ngan Kin ,, 28

Foot,-Ngau Kouk...eash 12

Liver,-Ngan Kon. Ib. 16

Tripe (undressed), Ngau To lb. 8

Kidneys,-Ngan Yin ..

Calves' Head and Foot,-Ngau-teal-

Pig's Chitlings, -Chu Chong

Mutton Chop,-Young Pel Kwat 1b. 40

-Ngan Mel -- ..

tan-keuk seb \$1.20

Log,-Young Pel , 40

Shoulder,-Yeung Shau ., So

Saddle,-Young On Yuk .. 4

Brains,-Chu No per set

Foot, Chu Kenk lb. 15

Fry, Ohu Chap 40

Head, Ohn Tan 1

Kidneys,-Chu Ylu... ... each 12

Pork Chop,-Chu Pal Kwat 30

Leg.—Chu Pel...

Loin,-Chu Hau Tun ... 11

Sheep's Head and Foot,-Young

Barbel -- Ka Yu...

Centon Fresh Water Bish --

Cathish,-Ohlk Yu

Codfish .-- Mun Ya ... --- ---

Outtle Fish, Muk Yu

Dab. Sha Mang Ytten

Dace,-Wong Mel Lap

Dog Fish, Tit To Sha ... '... 19

Eals, Conger,-Hol Man

Fresh water, Tam Shul Yu ..

Yellow -- Wong Sin

Garoupa, Bhak Palless see see 15

Hallbut - Chaung Kwan Kap. . . 16

Labron,-Woog Fa Yet

Louch, Wa Ya see se

Lobeters, --- Larring Min ... see see se

Monk Fish, -- Mong Ya ... , ... ,

Broam.-Pin Yo... ...

Oraba-Hales

Frogs, ... The Kales ...

Godgeon,-Pak Kap Ya ...

Herrings,-Teo Pak

Mackerel. - Chi Ye

Mullet,-Teel Yam ...

Oreters. Shang Ho ...

Pike,-Fa Pan Fong ...

Plaice, -Pan Yn... ...

Femireb, Black,-Hak Choose.

Postfree, White, Pak Chong

Prawne -- Ming Es ...

Ray .- Pal Pa Sha

Rosch,-Ohun Yu

ghrimps .-- Ha . 1900

Tuncks-Wan Tu

Turbos -- Tao Res Ys

Palmett,-Ma Yatt...

Rock Fish .- Shek Han Kung .--

Percha-Tan Lo

Parrot Fish, -Kal Kang Ta

Oaro, -Li Yu --

Fat or Lard, -- Ohu Yau

Sucking Pigs, to order, -- Ohn Teal ., 25

Suet. Boof, -Shang Ngan Yan ... 19

Voel,--Ngan Tesi Yuk... 34

Lyor. - Chu Kon ... 1b. 35

Tau-Keuk... ... set 7

Heart -- Young Sam ... each 10

Kidneys,-Yeung Ylu cach 15

Liver, Young Kon ... 1b. 40

Mutton, Shang Young Yau ,, 40

Sausages,-Ngan Teal Choung 28

Hol Sin Yo ...

Heart,-Ohu Sam each 19,

.. Prime Out 30

.. Corned,-Ham Ngan Yuk.

MARKET

Butcher Meat.

him, believing him to be a German, when two messengers arrived just in time to save him and explain the real facts. Though there is fine country in the mountains of the interior, access to it is difficult. and horrors have to be encountered

One, day it tained for hours and hundreds of crawling things, including ants, leeches and beetles of all kinds, came into the tent and sought entrance through my tiny mosquito net. I wondered if there were as many insects in hell. The leeches in particular were

Some of them were three inches in length. They crawled upon us introduction in which he remarks: from the surface of the track, they Most of Mr. Humphries's carriers | fell upon us, from the moss-hung were convicted murderers, and, as trees, and waited on every fern for feeling in Papua, for the ordinary should he fall unconscious by the

The book is a fine record of Britsometimes a necessary part of social etiquette, sometimes a re- ish tonacity, tact and endurance, As it was, Mr. Humphries had a phries's credit that he made his clothes off. They reported that the the prolonged and difficult journeys trawler's crew were burning net German part of New Guinea through the heart of Papua without trawl. buoys and other wooden

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Turkeys, Hen,-Fo Kal Na ... , 60

Almonds,-Hang Yan ... ib. 65

Apples, (Californis),--Kam Shan

Bananas, (bride's), Macao, -- Ban

Coccenuts -- Ye Tre ...

Ontambola. -- Young To

Lemons, (America), - Ram Rhan

Lichees, Dried, (small stone),-

Oranges, (Canton), Sweet-

Lemons, Ohina,--Ling Mung... Ib. 16

Oranges, Tim Chang 25

Pears, (Carton), Cooking, Sha Ed ., 10

Peanuts,-Fa Shang 12

Persimmons, Large,-Hung Tee ...

Pumelo, Siam, Talm Lo Yau ... cach 24

Walnuts, Hop To ... Ib. 16

Artichokes, -Ah Chi Uhenk ...esok

Beans, Sprout,-Ngs Tso... b

Bitter Squach,-Fu Kwa ,,

Cabbage Chinese, (common),-

Beet Root,-Hung Tsol Tan ... , 2 each

Brinjala, Green,-Ching Yun Kwa ,. . 5

Cane Shoots, bunch,-Kau Shun ...

Cauliflower (Large), -Ye Tsoi Fa each ...

(Medium),

Carro's - Kam Shun Ib

Celery Chinese, -Tong Kan Tsoi ...

Ohillies, Dried,-Kon Lat Chia . 20

Curry Staff, English,-Ra Id Chy Lin

Outumbers,-Ohing Kwa... ...each 2

Garlie,-Sun Tau Ib.

Ginger young,-Bun Tee Recog ..

Horsendish, Shanghal, -- Lik Ran ,,

Indian Corn, Shok Mai

Letteres.-Young Shang Test ... Ib.

Water Chestnuts,-Ma Tal ... Ib. 10

Mandariu, -Kwal

Mushrooms, Fresh,—Shang Tee Ku Ib. 70

Onlone, Bombey,-Young Chung Tan ib. 10

Onions, Green, Shing Chang Ib.

Pareley,-Kun Tsol se.

Potsto, Sweet,-Fan Shu

Pompkin, Tong Kwe

Radiah,-Hang Lo Pak Test ...

Rhuberb (Freeb),-Trd Wong ...

Spinach .- I'm Test ...

Taron -- We The

Topas tous .- Fatt Ko.

Shallots, Kong Chang Tab

Turnipe, Lund, (Lung), - Lu Pak-

Vagetable Martey, - 7th Kwa...

Water Cress, - Fal Tomas Turker

Japaness. - Yat Pun Shu Teal Ib.

Atnerlost, -- Fa Ki Shu Tmi Ib.

Onione, Shanghal, Shang-hot .

Lam Ma Talin 17

Ginger, old,-Lo Ksung,

Red,-Hung Fa Chiu 16

Green,-Ohing Lab Ohin is 10

(Small).

Red,—Hone Kee... ... "

(Shanghai)—Ye Teel ... , 12

., Long,-Tau Kok ... -

Grapes,--Po TallTes

Plantain.—Tai Chiú n

Snipe,—Sha Tsui...

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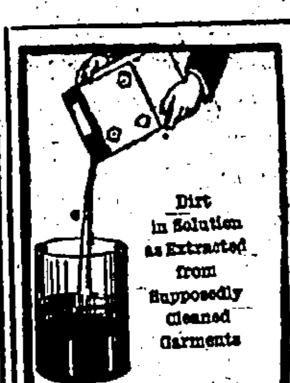
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TURKISH BATH

MARRIAGES.

the China Inland Mission, into confusion. While doing Shanghai.

The China Mail.

Hongkong, Friday, June 15, 1923.

HOUSING PROBLEM.

Council debate, one cannot help feel- found property a "good thing." saved had the Housing Commis- it was not a good thing they would through railway traffic suffered serision's report been ready. Then have slackened building. Hence would our legislators have been able the very strong feeling that a fair statement is unfortunately worded be admitted that the debate was extremely illuminating. Indeed it for a rents board would disbere again if the real issue is to remain clear. Obviously any interference with economic laws is bad in principle. Houses are the urgent meed? Then anything which discourages building is harmful. But interference, as Hongkong has interference, as Hongkong has contained as a constitute and the solution to the beat constitute and interest were made manifest in many ways. He is a musician interest were made manifest considered and interest were made manifest considered and interest were made manifest considered. If you considered activities in many ways. He is a musician and executant on the planoforte of much better; so if you considered in linear and interest were made manifest considered. If you considered a considered a considered and interest were made manifest considered. If you considered a considered a considered a considered and interest were made manifest considered. If you considered a considered a considered in many ways. He is a musician in many ways and interest were grave conditions are not to result. cidentals. And very often interference can encourage as well as discourage. Therefore the gravity of the crisis must determine the extent of the . There will be pretty general coninterference. Having agreed then domnation at the Hon: the Acting that our housing problem is very Colonial Secretary's "crowing" acute, we must envisage drastic that demolition which should be the measures. Olearly these mee-work of the Government, is being

alleviating existing bard-June 8, 1923, at Holy Trivity tard ultimate natural adjustment. S. and Mrs. Taylor, of Shang- and Demand, must not be too A. H. and Mrs. Broomhall, of themselves apart and let us sink comparison to the scheme of a con-

immense good, protecting tenants

who, with the shortage still acute.

would otherwise become easy prey for landlords seeking to recoup Trade of Hankow. excessive profits denied under con-

This he did most thoroughly making British Bund, is being constructed searching recommendations. It was obvious to even the ordinary laymind ignorant of scientific and medical knowledge, that the evil of the population..... is the cause of the great spread of the epidemic.' The report naturally led to some comment and induced the Official Administering the Government at. Report of the learned Lieutenant was laid before the Legislative Council on October 17th, 1918, and it is common knowledge, how it has been regarded. If Government has allowed overcrowding it is the Government's business to put a stop to it and if demolition is the real cure then demolition should be applied. We admit that an advocation of demolition assists the argument that demolition without provision for the dispossessed accentuates the housing problem. It would do if demolition was the craze it appears to be now. should be a gradual process-not a process which ignores an expert's report made nearly five years ago, and then seems to say :-- See how clever we are. Others are doing it for us,-and saving us money. If HiE Governor is solicitous for the consciences and reputation of a Committee who may suffer as the result of recommending old buildings to remain, should he not be equally solicitous for the reputation of the Government which for so long has allowed a condition of things to exist which has led to severe inconvenience, and probably sickness and death. There seems to be no excuse. Government, in all its land deeds, has a clause giving it the (Agents Messrs. Mackinnon, branded as "hanging Judges." right of purchase in the event of its desire to acquire what it has pre- of the s.s. "Malwa" which arrived was accosted near the Old Bailey Cathedral Shanghai, Peter Our copy book gods, Supply viously sold. It has exercised this at 8 a.m. this morning with the by a friend.

Taylor, son of the late W. F. Our copy book gods, Supply viously sold. It has exercised this at 8 a.m. this morning with the by a friend.

How are right more than once in schemes English mail after an extraordin-

done by private building "philen-

Exophists." He particularly instanced

the Oliteky Report, which had to

do with the outbreak of Epidemic

Moningitie in Hongkong. It will

be remembered that Lieutenant

Poter K. Oliteky of the Rockfeller

Institute for Medical Research, was

specially engaged to visit Hongkong

and make investigation and report.

The 1922 Trade Returns for Island West; on Wednesday, the wretch in the dock, and, having trol, our rents law does not invite Hankow issued by the Maritime 20th at Belcher's Battery and on grimly surveyed him, remarked: this risk of retarding new building, Customs lie before us and tell the the only real solution. Since the story of an unsatisfactory year due to the "political uncertainty in measure was passed, houses have China." The local situation in Buildings, Coronation Road, has grown apace unchecked. People Hupeh during 1922, says the report, Reviewing yesterday's Legislative with money to invest have still was not unfavourable to trade, and law and order were maintained, but "bandits were rampant in the neighing that much time would have been Obviously the indment they found bouring province of Honan, and chated that her flat was entered had the course of his pronouncement ous interruption from time to time. The latter part of the foregoing having been opened. to make that exhaustive finding rents board, while providing im- as it leads the reader to infer that which the problem demands. How- mediate relief, would only delay the the bandits were responsible for the tion Street was visited at 11 a.m. stoppage of traffic, whereas the sole yesterday by a creditor named Ki ever, anything that helps to clarify cure. Once more homes have person responsible was General Wu Kee who, ostensibly called to the position is helpful, and it must been provided rents will auto- Pei-fu, the war lord of Loyang, collect an account. The shopmatically decline and the need who, in addition, seized the railway keeper paid him \$19.20 and the manner, "I have been informed Hotels, etc., are not. This does not revenue to pay his troops. The creditor left only to return almost gross value of the trade dealt with immediately to ask that five \$1 loosed a flood of facts and figures appear. But how, you ask, are by the Maritime Customs at Han- notes be exchanged for a \$5 note. which provide more material for these new homes to come into kow during the year under review This was agreed to but when the sorry for it." comment that it is possible to deal being? Already the supply is woo was Hk. Tls. 247,173,448, which shopkeeper's face was turned to with in one article. Foremost fully inadequate and prolonged the previous year by Hk. Tis. back of his head. He called out among the facts which emerged political troubles across the border 45,578,811. The revenue collection | save prefrom the swelling stream was this make further demands almost cer- reached high water mark (H.k. Tls. -our housing problem is very, very tain. Consequently any hope that 4,516,316), exceeding the former record by Hk. Tls. 298,717. But acute. This may seem trite—who Canton's thousands will return notwithstanding these figures, which does not know our housing problem home is wan indeed. Consequently, represent a larger volume of trade. is acute!—but it must be stressed also, building must be encouraged 'the business conditions prevailing by the "Empress of Russia," will enough already, and the less that

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

is to be shown at The on Saturday and Monday.

the Chinese, point of view.

frontispiece, with a short article read them." dealing with the A. D. C.'s recent presentation of the play.

The statutory meeting of the Ltd., has been advertised to take "Yes, shall I take them off?" place at the Company's office, Powell's Building, at noon on June

of smallpox have been reported opinion for nothing? from Kowloon and two of small pox in the Colony, according to the mild-mannered judge, "give it for identify them as practice revolvers." returns of notifiable diseases for the 24 hours ending yesterday. All the patients are Chinese.

of the Shanghai Hotels, Ltd., will livid hue. "Do you drink?" 'Was be closed from June 23 to June 30, the dove-like question put to the both days inclusive, for the prepara- witness by Carson. "That's my tion of debenture interest warrants. business" hotly replied the Warrants will be payable at the witness. "Any other business?" Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, was the crushing rejoinder.

satisfaction.

intimates that information has been and the "hanging judge" received from the Military Author- tinued his walk to his home in ities to the effect that searchlight Bloomsbury. practice will be carried out between the hours of 7 p.m. and 11 p.m. on jury pronounced for manslaughter Tuesday, June 19 at Stonecutters and not murder, turned to the Thursday, the 2(st at Lyemun.

Mrs. Fannon, of 15 Orient servitude for life!"

A shopkeeper of 178, Reclama-"save life" and the creditor then

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL. -

be sadly missed in local art and is said about it the better; so if you

exports to the United States, and morning, having visited Ceylon Lord Erskine was a very scording to directions. it is understood that the bulk of and Java. After a short stay in the wordy. Judge. In condemning shoes and was very rottles and fourth fingers and a few pieces the commodities concerned complete colony, Mr. Harmsworth is leaving a tailor to death for murdering a she not very little allep and I hardly of clothing were also thrown in ment of these remains unchanged. Capt. G. A. Thomas. Other private for pierce for project or proper the The duty on monutactured silk, were Mr. B. Stone and Mr. R. And lethal weapon through the belly Objections verifors or post free en inches de forward their claims as joint as on the other hand, has been in derson. The versel also brought band of his regimental breeches, built per vial, from Dr. Williams Medic forward their claims as joint as creased from 45 to 55 per cent. It wimber of mayal mits.

Which were his Majesty's line Oo. 60 Klanges Road, Changes!

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WITTICISMS FROM BENCH AND BAR

(Specially Contributed.)

stitute less than 20 per cent. of tellects engaged in legal work it is It is indeed a hopeful sign that only natural that "the Sprouting the new Customs House, on the wings of a budding wit" must on extensive lines as it is an index often feel a keen urge to fly. Our of the confidence reposed in the own Courts afford often an onfuture development and prosperity portunity for the winged word of Hankow as the foremost trade wit. It only remains for centre of Mid-China. The prolong- researcher to delve into the misty centred in our intensely overcrowd- ed drought, which lasted from July files of newspapers to come across ed areas. Lieut. Olitaky's actual to December last year, adversely golden streaks of humour and words were "...... led to the con- affected agricultural interests in the shafts of repartee that would prove clusion that the dense overcrowding districts, and the season was calami- our contention. Stories in connectous for farmers. Special sacrifices tion with law matters are not were made to the 'God of Rein,' always at the expense of witnesses, and butchers from time to time were although they do abound, but often ed that owing to the armed robbers forbidden to slaughter cattle, which concern Judge and Barrister. There epidemic all European officers carmay be taken as an indication of the is that one of the pompous young ried revolvers whether they were in man, anxious to prove his case, uniform or not and as they had the seriousness of the situation, from who was constantly interlarding requisite number of rounds in the that time to say that something tunately, the "God of Rain" by references to other cases similar late for people who would do what would have to done and the problem appears to have been propriated for to the one under consideration they should not do. He drew attentment) at the end of June and work with the cryptic words "as per case tion, to the King's Armourer-Ser, will be commenced at the end of Jones v Rex Q. B. D." constant reiteration of "Q. B. D." riled the Judge who at last enquired "And what Sir do you mean by Q.B.D.?" "Q.B.D." my Charlie Lord? Why Queen's Bench used: Camplin's latest and best effort, Division." "Well then, why not say so" was the acid reply. "Every

> saying U.B.D."! The British Drama League's famous judge once, "I may as well fire his course would not waste

Hongkong Realty and Trust Co., trousers." Back came the answer:-

"I wish to ask the Court," said a lawyer who had been called to the 30 and not June 25 as previously witness box to testify as an expert, "if I am compelled to come into One case of plague, and one sonal interest, and give a legal ed. In addition to this, these revol-

"Yes, yes, certainly," replied the what it is worth." numerous cases in which he was would be kept separate from the engaged had to cross-examine a actual firing of a course. The debenture transfer register | witness whose nose was of a very

It was because they betrayed an indecent ardour to obtain convict-The P. & O. Steamship Coy., ions that certain judges were Mackenzie & Co.,) is again to be One of these was Mr. Justice Page, congratulated on the performance who, when very old and feeble,

"How are you, Sir John?" said arily quick run of only 281/2 days. the latter solicitously, noting the hai and Glasgow, to Kathleen openly flouted lest they betake that were doubtless good, but in no This quick dispatch gives general faltering footsteps of his lordship. "Oh. I just keep hanging on, hanging on!" was the response. A notice at the Harbour Office given with a chuckle and a leer,

> Another judge who, when the "Prisoner, you're the luckiest man I've ever met-take penal

In the days when all convicted reported that she has lost a gold prisoners were remanded to the wrist-watch worth \$20, two rain- last day of the sessions and then coats valued at another \$20, two sentenced in batches, there was a table-covers worth \$4 and two very polite judge who had to states that her flat was entered be- the course of his pronouncement tween g p.m. on Wednesday and he named only ten of the culprits 6 a.m. yesterday, the front door and it was not until the dock had been emptied that an official called receives no allowance (b) a single Kowloon will probably be removed his attention to the omission.

"Bing back John Smith," said his receives a Government allowance. lordship promptly, and the convict

was recalled to the dock. that I overlooked you just now seem fair. when delivering sentence. Pray excuse my mistake. I am very

And then he formally sentenced John Smith to be hanged by the neck until he was dead: A man having been capitally

convicted at the Old Bailey was, as usual, asked what he had to say why the judgment of death should not be passed on him. "Say?" he replied. "Why

Mr. Eric Rice, who left yesterday | think the joke has been carried far

LOADED WEAPONS.

POLICE REVOLVER RANGE PRECAUTIONS AGAINST ACCIDENTS

Early this week the China Mail suggested, in connection with the With some of the keenest in- recent revolver range tragedy, that it ought to be definitely laid down that, on the range, on instructor a China Mail reporter interviewed must on no account get in front of the Hon. Mr. H. T. Jackman, Acthis pupil and all the preliminary ing Director of Public Works, this training should be completed some morning. The Director deputed where else first. Yesterday the Mr. R. M. Henderson to explain Cofoner found that the deceased what was being done and later police officer had met his death authorized the following state through his own carelessness. Ac- ment: cordingly, a China Mail reporter interviewed the Captain Superintendent of Police this morning to learn what steps are contemplated to prevent a repetition of the accident.

At the outset, Mr. Wolfe explainextracted if the ejector shad been approximately 160 acres.

say, a number of service revolvers catchwater on Mt. Parker side, dis-Theatre at matinee performances time you say Q.B.D. I feel like had now been set aside for instruction purposes. The only way to "If that is the law" said a make sure that a man who was to organ Drama has reproduced one burn my law-books." "No my large number of rounds was to check "The Tempest" photo as its Lord" retorted Gounsel, "better his aim and his pull on the trigger by getting him to aim at a disc with In one of the Australian Courts the | the instructor's eye at the bottom of presiding judge passed a note to the bull. The revolvers to be used one of the Counsel: "Dear Brown for this training in future would be I see you are wearing white identical with the weapons actually carried but the six chambers in the cylinder would be filled with pieces of wood or other material of the mising waste and making a same weight as dummy rounds. This would ensure that no rounds this case, in which I have no per- genuine or dummy, could be insertvers would bear a distinguishing

mark so that everybody could This would be tantamount to laying Lord Carson in one of the down that preliminary training

CORRESPONDENCE

GOVERNMENT SERVANTS

To the Editor of the "China Mail."

Sir,—Under existing rules allowance is given to people who live in Hotels, Boarding Houses, or Clubs. This seems unfair as they have to pay a considerable amount for rent, although the Government is under survey and investigation. has apparently failed to realise that. An approach road, 2 miles in length, houses surely the Government Prickings and borings in the har-should encourage married couples bour will also be started next month

as straightforward as they are in of the Colony. Coylon for example: There, a rule (which has appeared in newspaper at present available nor will any be advertisements) is made that where until the borings in the harbour quarters are not provided, married are completed. It is hoped men receive an allowance of 111 per to commence work by the end cent. of their pay, and bachelors 71 of per cent. Here a great deal de tunnels (each 11/2 miles in length) pends on whether the Head of the under Smuggler's Ridge and Gol-Department or the Colonial Secre- den Hill. They should be complet-

There are of course many scheme are being pushed forward anomalies in the present system—to as quickly as possible. quote only two-(a) a married man, whose wife is at home, because he cannot get a suitable house. man, living in a house by himself, at an early date, a China Mail re-

It boils itself down to this, that men who live in private houses are 6 a.m., to-day there were 594 "John Smith," said the judge, in belped with their rent, while others, his most deferential and apologetic, who live not so comfortably in

> Has the Government even any right to give—what amount's to a cumeha-\$100 or \$150 a month of public money to some of its servants and nothing at all to others.

Yours, etc., Hongkong, June 18.

MOTHERS, THIS A

SERIOUS TROUBLE Neglocted It May Be Fatal

the commodities concerned compositions at the colony, Mr. Harmsworth is leaving a tailor to dearn for murdering a she got very little also and a many of clothing were also thrown prises raw cotton, silk, test, hides, for Shanghal, whence he will visit soldier by stabbing him, he had been and a many of clothing were also thrown by stabbing him, he had been and a many of clothing were also thrown by stabbing him, he had been and a many of confusion over the bed confusion over the a fire medicine, writes Mrs. Gov. Foote, St. Thomas, Oxurio, Canada.

WATER SUPPLY.

MEETING OUR FUTURE NEEDS.

SHING MUN VALLEY SCHEME

Regarding the development of additional sources of water supply,

Four hundred acres in the catchment area on the island, around Stanley Mound West, discharging into the Taitan Tuk reservoir, are being taken in. The work has been under construction since November last. An excavation of 6,000 feet (linear) has been completed and it is hoped that 300 acres may be available for any possible late rains in September and October.

Tenders for work on the second catchwater at Stanley Mound East will be called for (by advertisement) at the end of June and work geant's evidence at the inquest August. This catchment will disvesterday whon it was emphasised charge into Taitam Intermediate that all the rounds would have been reservoir, and have an area of

At the end of the year it is hoped However, the C.S.P. went on to let contracts for a further charging into Taitam Tuk reservoir. The lower portion is 150 and the upper 300 acres. Survey work on the latter may not be completed in time for this year's rains. 'We are never stinted for funds, but survey work takes time. The foregoing are the only catchwaters in preparation on this side.

UNIVERSAL METERAGE.

A scheme for universal meterage has been under consideration for some time with a view to minimore equitable distribution. The main object is to reduce consumption and the meterage system has been proved in many cities to be the best. In fact, the only way to bring down consumption, is to make waste too expensive a luxury.

EXTENSIONS IN KOWLOON. The continuation for two miles of the existing catchwater will take in 360 acres and is already under construction. The fall is into the Kowloon reservoir. A reservoir for Shek Leik-pui, holding 120

million gallons, is under tender to be returned on June 24. It will be situate close to the existing dam. It is hoped to commence impounding water in this reservoir next wet season. Work will be in progress this winter as contractors have to commence operations at the end of July.

SHING MUN VALLEY.

The Shing Mun Valley scheme With the present shortage of will be commenced next month without children and bachelors to in connection with the laying of use as little room as possible. Why pipes across the harbour. The should not the Government here be completed scheme will ultimately more than double the water supply

In this connection no figures are

tary's office think an allowance is ed in about 18 months. Other details in connection with this

HEAVY RAINS. In consequence of the recen

heavy rains, the restrictions in presentative was informed by the Water Authority this morning. At million gallons of water in the five reservoirs on the island.

The Royal Observatary returns give a rainfall of 1.80° for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, making a total of 24.10 since January 1st. against an average of 30.96." The rainfall this month is approximately 10 inches.

STRANGLED?

AMAH FOUND DEAD IN BED

ROBBERY THE MOTIVE.

The death of an amah employed were distinct marks of rings hav-"My baby was troubled with dier- ing been removed from her third

allotment of citares in the Land

HOUSING SCHEME.

OUTLINED.

his speech, referred to a growing Trafalgar Square.

and the Government has initiated tenants within their door. (Apa new scheme which has been ac- plause). cepted by certain capitalists. The With regard to the second charges of bad faith by disappoint- to Section 16 of the Rents Ordined applicants. Also, if land is sold below its market value there "(1) No person shall, as a conwill by agreement, before opera-addition to the rent." tions commence fix the value of that land. Suppose, for example, it is a plot of 50,000 feet at \$2 a. It is not for us to nurse the tenthat that land is worth \$100,000. goings out, and I propose to ask the covenant according to the not cover the matter. ectly he has sold, must take his nection whatever with this housing original capital and re-invest it in a question. will always be coming into being. somewhat over stated. While the original lease for forty years is running the lessee can only charge a sufficient nett rental to -bring in eight per cent., and pay all expenses including a sinking fund and insurance and repairs; but there will be no change in the

POINT FOR CONSIDERATION. The Senior Unofficial Member has asked the Council to put a brake upon the enterprise of persons who are willing to give us new houses for old. The Government does not propose to use the Official majority to thwart the wishes of the Unofficial members in the matter, but I would ask them to give very serious consideration to the question whether the proposed remedy will not aggravate the disease. The only criterion upon which you can base your decision is the true interests of the community as a whole and I am sure we all have that at heart. I think if this policy is adopted, housing will be checked. We can hardly revoke it until there is obviously sufficient accommodation to take in persons who may be dispossessed, and obviously, also, at the same time, their capital-will no longer be available for further enterprises.

WARNING GIVEN. I think this Council will be well FOR SALE:—Dodge Car in good advised to take warning by the ex-

mic laws of supply and demand as regards the housing question GOVERNMENT 'PLAN has not had the happiest results. You cannot make omelettes without breaking edgs, and I suggest At the meeting of the Legisla- that it is best to get this painful tive. Council yesterday, the process over as expeditiously as LTD, entitled to an allotment of Colonial Secretary in the course of possible, by encouraging every commercial community like Hong- form of building activity whether kong, pointed out that rising values in new houses or in reconstrucmust result in the building over of tion, provided that the accomthe vacant spaces in the centre of modation (I am speaking partithe town. The same thing has cularly of Chinese tenement happened in other cities. In Lon- houses) is increased and the type don our grandfathers lived over is improved. When conditions in their offices in the City and their China return to their normal state grandsons are now in distant as assuredly they will—trade suburbs. St. Martin's which was will revive, capital will flow back formerly in the Fields, is now in a into its accustomed channels, a crowded district adjacent to large number of our refugees will return to their homes, and I hone If the Council will excuse me in the Senior Unofficial member will a disgression for a moment, said be amongst the first-when, that Mr. Fletcher, I may mention that happy state of things arrives—to the Town Planning Committee has | congratulate the Government on a laid out a very large residential vastly improved city in which area along the Kowloon foothills landlords will be vying to induce

whole difficulty has been the sale amendment as to mala fide action I of land. If we sell by auction, in on the part of the landlord in C boom times, prices are exaggerat- demanding more than his lawful 8 ed. If we don't sell by auction the rent, I will leave this to the Com-Government lays itself open to mittee stage. I may, however, refer

is nothing to prevent the purchaser dition or pretended condition of selling it the next day. In this new the grant, renewal, or continuance, scheme the Government will give by himself, or by any other person | land anywhere in the Colony, with- of a tenancy of any domestic (out charge on a forty years' lease. tenement demand payment of any The Government and the lessee sum of money whatsoever in

NOT NURSING TENANTS.

foot, you agree before you start ants in all their comings in and There will be imposed a building Attorney General whether this does

locality and in some cases there. There is one further matter to will be a restriction as to the type which I will draw attention namely,] of tenant. When these buildings the statement of the Senior Unare completed the lessee is allowed official member as to Chinese sleepat any time that the value of the ing in the street. I think if this g land is doubled, to sell the whole got abroad, and especially if property, as it stands, in the open it got to Parliament at Home, it market on the ordinary 75 years' would create a very wrong impresrenewable lease. The price realis- sion. Those who have had experi- R ed goes firstly to pay back the cost ence of this town at night, or have | E of the buildings, and the proceeds had anything to do with the Police, O are divided equally between the will support me-and I am sure the B Government and the lessee, who Chinese members will agree- 8 has had the enterprise to put his when I say that in the hot in money into the concern. The Gov- weather a very large proportion ernment is assured that it gets back of the people living in Chinat least the original value fixed ese tenements préfer to live in upon the land and-here comes the the streets because of the heat important point of the arrange- within doors. In wet weather you ment from the point of view of the may see them with little tents. housing question—the lessee, dir- Sleeping in the street has no con-

similar operation. Therefore as | The Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall: - long as the demand is so much in I would like to bear out the comexcess of the supply as to cause ment just made by the Colonial' land to double its value the lessee | Secretary. It struck me whilst the will go on building and selling Senior Unofficial member was with the result that new buildings speaking that his remarks were

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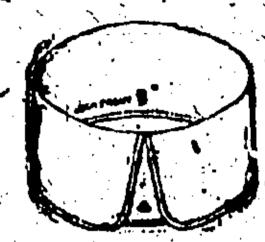
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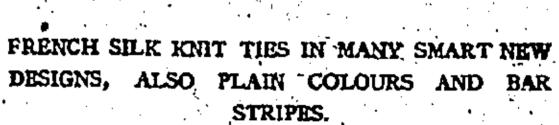
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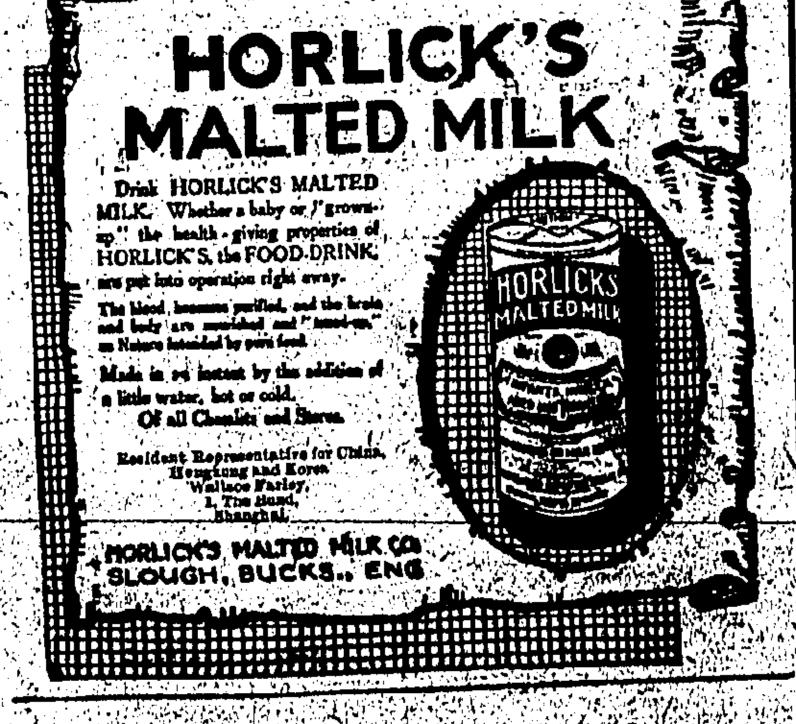
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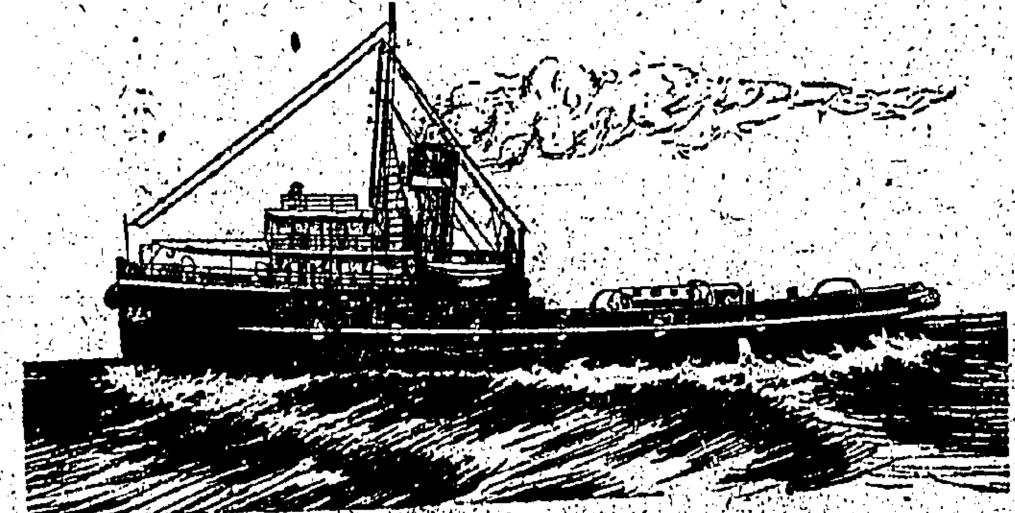
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HOUSING PROBLEM. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL DEBATE.

RENTS ORDINANCE EX-TENDED.

FINES FOR LANLORDS WHO BLUFF TENANTS.

At the meeting of the Legisla- rather wide field. First I must tive Council yesterday afternoon, take the opportunity to express the after the second reading of the bill obligation of the Government to to amend the Rents Ordinance the Senior Unofficial member for 1022 had been moved by the his assistance in investigating num- ed by the Chinese, Mr. Fletcher, Attorney General and seconded by erous cases of hardship and in after quoting portions of a petition the Colonial Secretary, petitions exploring all the avenues which from the Hongkong Tenants' relating to the Bill were placed on night possibly lead to a solution of Protective Society, which reprethe table. Both the Hon. Mr. this most difficult housing and sents 40,000 members of families Pollock K.C. and the Hon. Mr. rents question. I would like to add summed up the position thus: Kotewall dwelt at some length my thanks also. I might also re- 1 But with regard to this rental on the subject. The latter's speech mark on the excellent work done question I think there has been issue. After the Hon. Mr. Pollock the Chinese community on behalf ment has had in contemplation a ships among the Chinese, Portu- most immediately before this ber of bungalows, semi-detached the said:

the following new inserted, after clause 6:-

Authority.

All plans for the demolition or reconstruction-of-domestic_tenements which are received by the Building Authority after the said date shall be referred by the Building Authority to the said Committee. (ii.) By renumbering

sections (2), (3), (4), (5) and (6) respectively (3), (4), (5), (6) and (7) respectively. After going into full details of his

reasons for moving the amendment, Mr. Pollock continued :--In asking the Government to accede to the amendment which I tunately, it is recognised at so late to Kowloon and visited blocks cona stage—at a stage when judgment taining altogether some 130 new has been recovered against the un- flats, and I also visited the new fortunate tenant—that practically it | hotel. When I returned I sent for is of very little use. It is necessary, various landlords, including the I submit, for somebody like a Com- landlord of the hotel, and got the mittee of three persons to have the option on a number of buildings' power at an earlier stage to inter-

PENALTY FOR OFFENDING LESSORS.

Now, Sir, I come to the second amendment, which, it is proposed to move in Committee, that is that clause 9 of the Bill be amended as follows:-

(i.) By substituting "sections are" for "section is" in the first line thereof : and ' (ii.) By inserting at the end of

clause 9 of the following; 29.- Every lessor who dethousand exceeding one

I submit that clause is a very to turn up," rather than with the useful and a very necessary one. I more strenuous proverb that "God would remind the Council that a helps those who help themselves. lessor includes not merely the first, I am not a house agent, but I am landlord but the principal tenants satisfied that satisfactory, arrangeof premises or the lessor of two or- ments will eventually be made for whole building down to bedspace. Unofficial Members remarks about and that person it is proposed to the Beaconsfield Arcade property, make liable to a penalty if he de I may mention that these flats have mands or, receives more than the been, and are tenanted, by Sanitary standard rent for any domestic Inspectors and other Europeans in tenement, which I have explained the Government service. Some of includes every kind of lessor and them have been there a considerevery kind of division or sub- able time.

alty for demanding or receiving and I am sure the Government will more than his due under this Or- meet them more than half way,"

dinance. After Hon. Mr. Kotewall had | replied.

I must ask the patience of the Council while I traverse a

shall move the amendment that the residence of Rutter Street, porary bungalows should be of the clause be to which I will refer later. Re- simplest construction with wooden garding. Belilios Terrace there roofs covered with Malthoid roof-Section 4 of the principal are forty-two families, numbering ing and no foundations except Ordinance is hereby amended:— about 200 souls, housed in the 27 enough to keep them standing be reluctant to be a member of the cult to get it to work, and it may (i.) By the insertion after sub- buildings of these three terraces against typhoons. Without allowsection (1) thereof of the follow- and it undoubtedly is, as the Senior ing for amortisation, repairs and ng sub-section, to be numbered Unofficial Member has said, a very upkeep, and 8 per cents on the (2). (2) Notwithstanding any- great hardship that this sheltered, investment, the minimum rental thing contained in paragraph (f) self-contained community should works out at \$130 a month, I will of sub-section (i) of this section | be evicted at such short notice; but | read from the estimate: "This is a Committee of three persons, it must be remembered that, owing the minimum rental which could appointed by the Governor in to the generosity of the Belilios be charged, notwithstanding the Council, may, in its absolute family over a long period of years, fact that the land would be leased discretion, postpone the opera- their rents have not been appreci- for a period of ten years without tion of the notice to quit and also ably increased, while during the charge. No provision has been the demolition and reconstruct same period their salaries and made for vacancies, and tion of domestic tenements (in consequently their rent-paying sequently it is doubtful cases in which plans for recon- capacity, have been considerably whether a lower rental than struction have not been received augmented, with the result that \$150 could be charged. This by the Building Authority on or they are now in a much more merely proves that blocks of rebefore the 14th day of June, 1923) favourable position than the neigh- sidential flats are necessary with a from time to time for a period bours who surround them. The view of obtaining cheap accomnot exceeding 18 months in all matter came to my attention some modation, and that cheaply confrom the date of the receipt of time before the Petition reached structed bungalows will not meet such plans by the Building me. On the very morning on which the case. These houses were as Ordinance is only to last for open to objection? the Committee of the tenants to small servants quarters. The cost

partly on account of the sanitary arrangements, and partly cial Member mentioned the flats on account of danger from fire, be- built, by the Italian Mission in ing in a Chinese locality. I went Robinson Road, pointing out that down personally and looked at they were too expensive for the rethem. The rent was \$45 for a two-sidents threatened with eviction roomed flat, but by putting two from Belilios. Terrace. These rooms into one they would get a buildings have been put up under four-roomed flat for \$90. I agreed the Government Loan Scheme and with the tenants that they were not I am satisfied that the return on the suitable. At the same time the cost of the buildings alone will not shall move in Committee I am not Belilios Terrace houses struck me be more than six per cent, and if asking them to adopt an entirely as being in the very last stage of the value of the land is added the new principle, because the prin- decay and literally tumbling to return will not be more than three, ciple of postponement of delivery bits. I invited the assistance of or three and a half per cent. of possession is recognised by sub- Mr. J. M. Alves, who has rendered section 3 of sub-section 4 of the me very great assistance in this ings will be found elsewhere in Rents Ordinance, 1922. Unfor- matter, and we went over together this issue.

at rentals varying from \$70 vene in the interests of the tenants. or \$150. I consulted the owners of Belilios Terrace, who met more than half way, and have been most considerate. I put these facts before the tenants. at the same time I got in touch with Bishop Pozzoni who put at my disposal ten flats for these tenants in Robinson Road, which will be ready at the end of the year. With regard to the Senior Honourable member's reference to Palermo Buildings the landlord very kindly reduced the rents from \$80 to \$50, and I put this offen to the tenants, mands or receives more than but they came to me with a refusal the standard rent for any to take the ground floors because domestic tenement shall unless they were tiled. I hope I may not he proves to the satisfaction of give offence when I say that the the Magistrate, that he acted attitude of some of these tenantsbona fide, be liable upon sum- by no means the majority of themmary conviction to a fine not but the attitude of some of them-is , in accordance with Mr. Micawber's

THE EUROPEAN ASPECT. the European aspect at some length and concluded : -

sons have approached me on this subject of a European reservation, tion with a well-known resident re-people reconstructing in cases that you should suggest that I cently, I reminded him of the story where it is manifestly desir-should be responsible for a manof Abraham when the Angel an able reconstruction should take ocuvre as you have defined it. City if ten just personscan befound. And I said: Find me ten or I sideration of two bodies. The It makes the lessor liable to a pen- will build houses in this reservation worked department, and unques-

He went out and has not returned. Now, there is no racial question spoken in support of the amend- in all this. We are prepared to ment, the Colonial Secretary make a similar proposition to any have been raised, I am afraid leased without auction to Chinese from the Government body to the an area on which they propose to new committee. build fifty houses for the permanent residence of members of the Chinese community.

CASE FOR THE CHINESE.

With regard to the case present-

appeared in full in yesterday's by the hon, members representing great exaggeration. The Governhad instanced many cases of hard- of their compatriots. The matters scheme for building a large num-

guese and European community, Council are petitions from the along the railway line in Kowloon. tenants of Belilios Terrace and The idea was that these tem-I received it I got the option of 34 cheap and small as they could be, flats at West Point-two-roomed occupying: 1,400 square feet and flats of European style. I had not containing two bed-rooms, one seen them at the time, but I sent sitting-room, one bath-room and investigate and they reported for a quantity (400 was suggested) that they were not suitable, was estimated at \$6,200 each.

The Honourable Senior Unoffi

Further details of the proceed-

THE COMMITTEE STAGE.

H. E. the Governor, having intimated that he would defer his Secretary, the Attorney General, remarks till, the committee stage, the Colonial Treasurer, the Secrethe second reading of the Bill was | tary for Chinese Affairs, the Direccarried. The Council then went into Committee.

In moving the proposed new clause of which he had spoken the lost by eight votes to five. Hon: Mr. Pollock said: I should ! like to say with regard to what has lobservation to the effect that the fallen from the Acting Colonial Unofficial Members would Secretary that, first of all, I am obviously not vote in favour of the satisfied that it is desirable amendment after the very strong to have some body which can expression of opinion which H. E be referred to as a com- the Governor had given against it. mittee in this question of re- It did not amount to free voting construction and that for the but was a manoeuvre to defeat the reasons I have given in my speech Unofficial minority, and he did not Lon the second reading. I quite ap- consider it fair. preciate the extraordinary efforts of the Colonial Secretary re housing of was any misunderstanding, I hope tenants. But it is desirable that it no Official member considered that should come before a regularly anything I said bound him to vote constituted body and that there in any other way than his own judgshould be a body which has a ment dictated. certain legal status. The Colonial Several Unofficial Members: Secretary, in his position, carries a Quite clear." great deal of prestige and influen- The Hon, Mr. Pollock repeated ce, but I think it is desirable that the observation as to the effect upon maxim of "waiting for something there should be some body which the judgments of Official members by law has power to put a certain of a strong expression of opinion in check on reconstruction, until one direction by H.E. the Govsatisfactory measures have been ernor. taken for the re-housing of tenants. H.E. the Governor: I should be That is the reason I press for this sorry to suppose that members of clause. With regard to Belilios the Public Service were quite so in three cubicles; the lessor of any getting all these people into new Torrace, I got the Building vertebrate. portion of the building from the homes. With regard to the Senior Ordinance Officer's report on says that these premises are "old"

he does not put the "cross" against them which denotes dilapidation. SPEECH BY GOVERNOR HE the Governor: I should like phrase used If anybody considers to say at this Stage that I propose that I am entleavouring to jockey

to leave it to the unfettered dis-t the Unofficial members into the be-

cretion of the Council to adopt this lief that I have influenced the Offi-The Colonial Secretary traversed amenument if they wish. I desire cial members when I have not, I once more to emphasize that I hope beg to repudiate the suggestion this Ordinance is about to come to nost heartily. I consider that the Quite recently a number of per- an end, at the end of twelve months Official members have the right to from now, and I think it is a mistake express their opinion and to hold to tinker with a temporary Ordin- the opinions they express. Unless but there has always been the ance and thus lead people to be- they are directly instructed by me objection that while they are will- lieve it is more likely to be renew; that a measure is a Government ing to rent they are not prepared ed than is the case. The second one which they must support, they to build, for the reason that when reason is that I feel—however are free to vote in accordance with leaving the Colony they will not reasonable it may be—the adoption their own convictions. I must con-

nounced to him the intended place. When a min is just waver- The Hon. Mr. Pollock: All I destruction of Sodom. Abraham ing on the point whether he shall, wished to say was that putting it pleaded for the city, saying or shall not destroy insanitary to the vote of the Officials after Peradventure ten just persons premises really insanitary I mean your Excellency has expressed will be found," and the Angel and he may be determined not to do yourself strongly in a certain direcswered, "I will not destroy the so by this clause. He will not tion, is not really leaving it to the submit all his plans to the con- unfettered decision of the Council. division of a domestic tenement, will reduce it. Find me five who Building Authority is a very hard proceed with the discussion of the tionably requires a little time to examine plans. The suggested Committee might be another body

of busy men and the time devoted to the examination of plans would be naturally increased. Governcommunity which may wish to live ment departments are blamed for He said in part: In view separately among its own kith and delay and it is possible that the kin. We have, in fact, recently virus of the delay would spread

WELCOME RECONSTRUCTION.

of time before it is necessary to do dropped it at public expense. Now, everythey are ready to spend it in recon- had given notice. structed buildings because, owing H.E. the Governor suggested ple have other uses for their money rent. it is unlikely they will be content | The Hon. Mr. Pollock: It might

they will put off the construction would not be difficult. as long as their houses will hold | H.E. the Governor: But if it does proposed committee unless I was give opportunities for blackmail. an architect or an engineer, because The Colonial Secretary: Does if the Committee refuses permis- not Section 17 cover it? Surely sion to reconstruct and there was a that Section is sufficient? serious disaster-supposing Belilios | The Attorney General thought-Terrace were to collapse upon its the amendment could not do much

inmates—I feel that the Committee harm. which refused would find their consciences and cedent—the Straits Ordinance.

mittee should have discretion to tain people like to take advantage postpone reconstruction for as of it. Can you see any way of long as eighteen months. If the amending the clause which is less twelve months it is undersirable to have a longer period named in the certainly should be such a clause. measure itself. The position would be that the Committhe would have power to exercise jurisdiction under the Ordinance six months after the Ordinance had expired. His Excellency suggested

the

in the Amendment. DIVISION CALLED FOR. The Hon. Mr. Pollock accepted the suggestion and the amendment was then put.

H.E. the Governor: I think the No's" have it: The Hon: Mr. Pollock called for a division, and the votes were re-

corded as follows: For.-The Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock, the Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyozk, the Hon. Mr. A. G. Stephen, the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, the Hon.

Mr. Chau Siu-ki. Against.—The Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang, the Hon. the Officer Com-, manding the Troops, the Colonial tor of Education, the Director of

Public Works. The amendment was therefore The Hon. Mr. Pollock made an

H.E. the Governor: In case there

RETURNS TO CHARGE. On an observation by the Hon bound to fullow, H.B. the Governor said; Limust

really dissent and object to the

find an open market. In conversa- of the clause may tend to prevent fess, Mr. Pollock, that I amazed

H.E. the Governor: Council will

AMENDMENTS.

The Hon, Mr. Pollock mentioned an amendment to Clause 7 suggested by the Tenants' Association.. It was to the effect that " the Magistrate may order the lessor to allow the lessee possession of such domestic tenement.

The Attorney General remarked that after a house had been rebuilt it might be difficult for a former tenant to find the corresponding At the present time we are get- part in the new house corresponting a large amount of desirable ding to the portion he had occupied. reconstruction done at the expense The Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall of the landlord. If it is not done by considered that the amendment him it is probably only a question was not worth pressing, and it was

The Hon. Mr. Pollock moved the body seems to have money to spare: [second amendment of which he]]

to various circumstances, including that it would be difficult to apply revolutions in China, remunerative the amendment to. the case of a employment of capital in China is man who wanted sleeping space difficult to find. When that condi- for a week-end, who would not tion of affairs passes away and peo- know anything about the standard

with the six or seven per cent. they be difficult with regard to a bed can get out of reconstructed tene- space, but there are other parts of ments. When that time comes the house in regard to which it

together. I must confess I should apply to the small space it is diffi-

to allow The Hon. Mr. Pollock: The to be reconstructed amendment is taken from a pretheir reputations suffer as the H.E. the Governor: Do you result. However, as I say, if the know whether their conditions are Council considers that this clause similar? I have not the slightest should form part of the Ordinance I objection to the amendment, but it am perfectly content to leave it to seems to me its practicability is their decision. There is one other doubtful, and it does seem to offer point. It is proposed that the com- opportunities for blackmail if cer-

> The Hon. Mr. Pollock: There ANOTHER COUNT OF VOTES,

H.E. the Governor: We leave the matter to the opinion of passed accordingly. the Council, and I take care on this occasion to express no opinion myself. On being put to the vote

substitution of the figures 12 for 18 H.E. the Governor said "I'think l 'No's" have it." division, when there voted. the Hon. Mr. A. G. Stephen, the happiness:--

Hon, Mr. P. H. Holyoak, the Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock, the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, the Director of Public Works, the Attorney General, the Officer Commanding the Troops. Against.—The Colonial Secretary, the Colonial Treasurer, the Director of Education, the Secretary for Chinese Affairs.

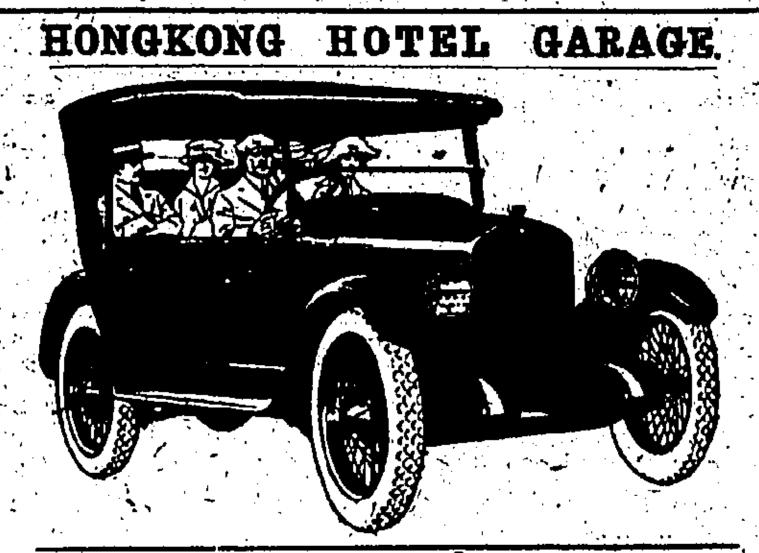
The amendment was therefore carried by nine votes to four. It was agreed to substitute for ed to "you." Clause 10 of the Bill Section 10 of

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the principal Ordinance with the substitution of the figures 24 for 23. in the second line thereof. The Bill then passed through

Committee without further amendment and the Council then re-The Attorney General moved

and the Colonial Secretary seconded the third-reading-of-the Bil This was carried and the B

Matrimonial Precepts.

Speaking on "Love and Marriage" at Harrods Stores, Brompton-The Hon. Mr. Pollock claimed a ton-road, S.W. Mr. W. L. George, monger, of Padddington-street the novelist, gave the following Marylebone. For.—The Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang, precepts as aids to matrimonial

Don't open each other's letters. Don't bore each other. If you absolutely must be frank, do it in private.

How beautiful you are!" Once a day say to a man, "How strong you are!" or "How clever you are!"

If it seems hard to be married to

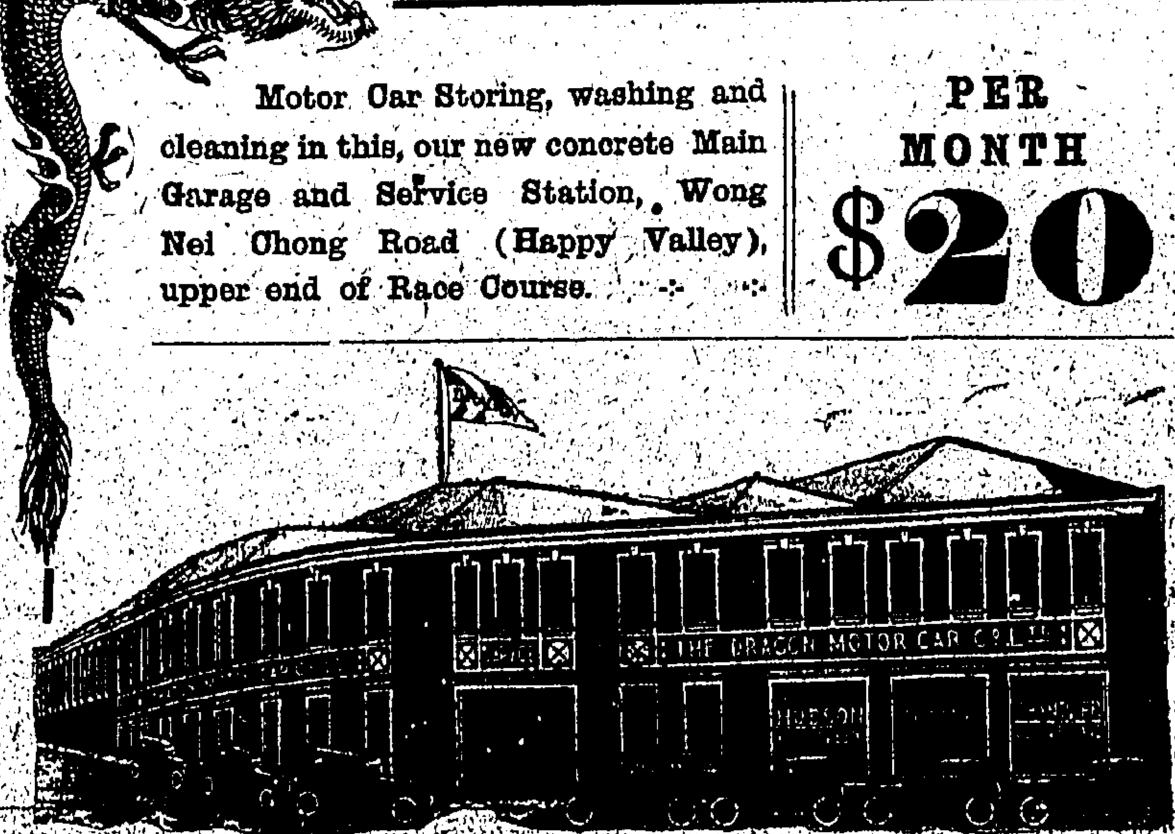
WALKED 200 MILES.

EMPLOYER'S MONEY LOST ON "CERT."

Footsore and weary after a week's tramp from Halifax to London, a distance of about 200 miles. Henry Edward Birchinall, a fishmonger's assistant, whose home is in Hall-place, Paddington, walked into Crawford-place (Marylebone)police-station and gave himself up on a charge of embezzling-£8 odd belonging to his former employer, Charles Chaplin, a fish-

Detective Shipley said that until Birchinall absconded to Halifax with his employer's money he had borne an excellent character. But he got into debt through horseracing and gambling, and in order to Once a day say to a woman, recover himself took his employer's. money and placed it upon a "cert.". It lost, and he ran away; but con-

science brought him back from Halifax to face the charge. Birchinall expressed willingness him" remember that he is marri- i to do his best to repay the money, and he was placed on probation.



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The French Concession, Shanghai, already famous as the beauty spot of the Northern Settlement has recently been further enhanced by the addition of a modern boxing Stadium, For this Shanghai's boxing fans have to thank its enterprising proprietor, Mr. Sullivan, a leading sporting light in our neighbouring port. Its manager is an equally popular and well-known sportsman. He is none other than Mr. Billy Bellew, the same who some years ago held the Welter-East. Many old timers will remember "Billy's" many performances in Hongkong (he used to make his headquarters here), particularly his long-to-be-remembered fight with Bill Lewis. They made history for local boxing, and set up a high standard here which "it is gratifying to note has been maintained by their successors, notably our popular "Sky" Kerrison, and now "Rattler" Morgan.

fully too. Three tournaments in a heeded. Hongkong's boxing embedded in the sand. little over a month is a respectable superiority is threatened and every Telephone wires were also piece of promoting work, especial one who has the welfare of the broken by the ported to be of a high order.

The last tourney was held on body. June 1. It is with this tourney that |. We in Hongkong will have to be while the service will be continued June 29.—U.S.S.B. West Sequens I am most concerned for the purpose of this article. It is in fact of considerable interest to all local boxing enthusiasts because young Chadwick, our worthy Lightweight through, and we won't have the definitely. Champion figured in it, and what is more, he kept up Hongkong's Then clearly the supply would reputation in no uncertain style, in have to be local if the game is to spite of the fact that he was greatly handicapped to the tune of about of securing that supply under pre-15 lbs in weight and many inches sent conditions? There are some in height and reach. Chadwick good boxers in the making among made his initial appearance before local lads--a visit to the boxing Shanghai's fight fans as an eleventh hour substitute for one "Battling" Gleason who broke a thumb while encouragement have they got to training. Chadwick's opponent was continue their boxing after they a lanky fellow named White, a no mean performer as reports go. However, the "133-pound bundle of T-N-T" as our champion is styl- sider their decision for the sake of ed by one of the leading sporting British boxing traditions? I hope papers up North, made short they would play the game for the work of White and sent him down for the full count in four short rounds, in every one of which as I am attempting to do now. there was only one man in the am sure that nothing was farther show. Chadwick made an instant- from their minds than to create a ancous hit with the audience, and boxing monopoly for the Navy and no doubt he will have not a few Army when they made that decisupporters to-night (June 15) when | sion-but that has been the result. he will be put to the test against I beg them to give a thought to the Capt. Matty Smith, the Lightweight | future of boxing in Hongkong Champion of the Australian Over- after they and their men have left seas Forces, and the best man these shores. Shanghai can pit against him.

Although little is known about Smith here, Hongkong boxing Chinese Lightweight Champion of enthusiasts will feel confident of Malaya, who was here last year, Chadwick's ability to hold his own has done well in his first-bout against the Aussie, for it must be Manila, where he knocked but Kid remembered that although quite a Apache, one of the top-rungers, in youngster, Chadwick is by no two rounds at the Laguna-Stadium means a beginner in the "manly San Pablo. That Key has made ar art" and it is his proud record that impression at Manila, is evident he scored a win over Bugler Lake, from this heading of a report of the the man who is making a "big fight: "Battling Key has two-fisted noise" in England at the present wallop." Good luck to hir

Prop. Sullivan and Manager Bellew have excellent plans for the future of boxing in Shanghai, and they are now searching the country him. I am an orang Singapura myfor likely material to train for high self, so the interest in Key boxing honours in the Far East, if not farther afield. They have secured the services of capable physical and boxing instructors for the novices, and have already quite a little army of youngsters receiving lessons regularly. They are not drawing the colour line either, and number British, American, Swedish, Russian, Portuguese, Eurasian, Filipino, Japanese and Chinese lads among their pupils.

This makes one feel very pessimistic for the future safety of local boxing, and if we do not take steps to keep pace with the times and our neighbours, Hongkong will be backward and the time will come, very soon, when we shall see all our championships held by outsiders.

do is get rid of that silly colour bar notion and give everyone who chooses to take up the boxing game a fair chance to make good. Then we could hold inter-school, inter-Scout Troop and Novices tourneys for the purpose of "discovering dark horses. Of course, it is the right thing that these tourneys be held under the auspices of the Hongkong Boxing Association, an iron constitution. so that the winners of the various tournaments can be recognised as champions in their respective grade, and their records kept from the beginning of their would be only too glad to run these degree of success, some very tough John Taylor, of Greenock, were "shows" provided, of course, they fans? Surely, if local sportsmen Rozario, has been upholding our for five years. can come forward so readily to reputation in Tientsin where he It was stated that Taylor's

why not look the horse in the These are a few examples I am It was during the evidence of Dr. In. N.Y.K. mouth right now and begin making offering to support my contention provisions for the future? I am that local lads can rise high in the confident the Government can be roped arena. All they need is one blood in order to save his life, that couragement.

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KOWLOON VAUDEVILLE.

LEEDS AND LE MAR AT THE STAR.

The clever combination Leeds

and Le Mar received an enthusiastic reception at the Star last night, when they presented their turn to Kowloon for the first time. Plumduff's Restaurant" was a vacity. She captivated her weight Championship of the Far audience right from the start, and her songs received a tremendous preciative way in which they were and Kowloon theatre-goers, some the first coach fell onto the beach very enjoyable evenings whilst this brilliant pair are with them.

ly as the standard of boxing is re- sport at heart should rally to the but temporary lines are to be im- June 28.—I.C.S.N. Hinsang.

warships here with us so often. survive. What chances do we stand tourney of any school will convince one on that point, but whatleave school.

Cannot the Naval and Military authorities be persuaded to reconbenefit of Hongkong boxing after matters had been explained to ther

MISCELLANEOUS. "Battling" Key, the young during his Manila tour. see from the Shanghai papers that Key is booked to perform there soon. 'Again, good luck

natural. "Young" Maher, the Hongkong lad who won the Amateur Lightweight Championship of the Colony by virtue of his victories over Willie Ward of the Revenue and Hainan of the Navy, has been in Shanghai for some-time. He not doing much boxing there present. However, he upheld Hongkong's reputation in a few bouts while a new arrival at the Northern Port, but has since experienced difficulty in 'securing fights, his amateur status preventing him meeting good men.

"Iron" Bux, also a Hongkong "boy," is now reported to be doing holds the Manila Championship at general at 2.30 p.m., June 15:example of what a Hongkong E. 12 deg. lat. N. moving N. man can do when given a fair chance, and if the latest reports about him are correct, he will have set up the unique record of holding a championship at every weight, from Bantam to Middle. Father Time does not seem to give him much trouble, and he has certainly lived up to his ring name. He has

Another Hongkong lad, George Gifford, I think, (I am not sure of his first name), is doing well among twice to be adjourned owing to a Aug. 5 .- T.K.K. Tenyo Mara. good raters in the United States jury woman's fainting fits caused by 16.-T.K.K. Kree Maru. under the fighting name of Pitts, medical evidence. The case was

provide trophies for athletic sports holds the Amateur Lightweight sweetheart, the niece of Mailey, niectings, why not for boxing? Championship. He has done ex- told him that when she was 8 years Aug. 11.—N.Y.K.

-P.T.P.J. be carried from the court

TRAIN DERAILED.

STARTLING LOCAL - ACCIDENT.

LANDSLIDE STRIKES ENGINE

A landslide on that part of the Kowloon-Canton Railway between perfect scream, Harry-Leeds, with Shatin and Taipo yesterday derailhis droll ways, his unexpected and ed the engine and two coaches of witty cross talk, kept the house a train which happened to be passroaring with laughter all the time ing at a speed of about 30 miles an he was on the stage. Trixic Le hour. Nobody was killed or in-Mar just bubbled over with vi- jured, but several people were badly shaken. It appears that an embankment

ovation. It was a rattling good made principally of decomposed show, and judging by the ap- rock gave way, this no doubt being received last night, Leeds and Le the result of the heavy rains of the Mar should have a successful visit last few days. The engine and about ten feet below and the second coach was derailed. A number of Europeans were in the coaches but none were seriously hurt. The they can raise the money driver and the fireman both escap-Billy" has been exceptionally for the building. Who will help? ed without a scratch as the engine busy at the new Stadium, and There are many who can, and I fell onto the beach in an upright Aug. according to reports very success- hope this appeal will not go un- position with its wheels deeply

> assistance of the local governing mediately erected. The track will be cleared in a few days but mean- CEBU. ILOILO & ZAMBOANGA independent of the Navy and as trains will be run from opposite Army for our boxing material be- directions to the spot and pasfore long, especially, if the Sing- sengers will have to change. The apore Naval base scheme goes Taipo Road has been closed in June 16 .- Nanyo Y.K. Bandoeng Maru.

CHAN AND SUN STILL ENEMIES.

Rumours that peacemakers are bringing Sun and Chan together again have been discounted in some of the vernacular papers in Hongkong and Canton.

There is a letter in the local Chinese papers from Mr. Wong Ping-sun, compradore the P. & O. Co. this year's chairman of Tung Wah Hospital's board of directors. In connection with the report published in the press, that the hospital had, in response to the efforts of a peacemaker," telegraphed the leaders of the Sun and Chan parties, to cease hostilities, Mr. Wong says that as the hospital is primarily and to all purposes, a charitable institution, it cannot in any way interfere with Chinese politics and therefore cannot sug-

gest the reunion.

The vernacular papers point out that prior to June last year when Chan was expelled from Canton Sun. rumours were spread about a re-union but nothing came. of it. After Chan's coup in June, which-drove-Sun-out-of-power, sept. 7.-P. & O. there was much talk of "extending Oct. 2.-P. & O. the olive branch" but this again proved wrong. Now the respective armies are waging a bitter war and have pitted their entiré resources against each other. The consensus of opinion seems July 7.- E. & A. to be that they are too far gone to allow bygones to be bygones and that both Sun and Chan are committed to their respective allies and Cot. adherents to strive for the over- Nov. X-E. & A. throw of the avowed enemy.

Under the present circumstances there seems little possibility of the June 16.-N.Y.K. peacemakers meeting with much success especially as all those who |have entered the field have at some time owed allegiance to one party

TYPHOON WARNING.

The telegram quoted below was well in the Middleweight division received from the Manila Observain Manila, some say he actually tory by the local American Consulate The first thing we will have to that weight. He is an excellent Typhoon in about 131 deg. long.

JURYWOMAN FAINTS

MURDER TRIAL TWICE ADJOURNED.

Amurder trial at Glasgow had

Then again, as a matter of course, ceptionally well, being a little more old her uncle took advantage of than a beginner who took up her, and this news greatly upset than a beginner who took up her, and this news greatly upset boxing a little over a year ago. He Taylor, who later told the girl he boxing a little over a year ago. He that been unable to eat or sleep things as boxing tournaments—so sticks it.

Why not look the horse in the

THE CHINA MAIL. NOTICE TO SHIPPERS AND Laug. 1.-4. O. L. Pros. McKinley. 11--N.Y.R Iyo Marn. PASSENGERS. 14.—B. F. Protesilaus Sopt. 11.—R V. Oct. 2.—B. F. chiller Philootoles (Continued from Page 7.) June 24 - B. F. Typdareus. Aug. 10.—B. F. Leomedon. Yokohama Maru. 20.—N.Y.K 22.—P. & O. Kashmir. 87.--A. O. L. Pres. Jefferson. Bielli 24.--P. & O. July 8.—R. P. Philectetes. 27.—B. F. Dardengs. Arizona Maru, 14.—V.S.K 29.—B. F.∖ Dardanus. 24.—N.Y.K Kaus Maru. 81.—E. A. Australien. Pres. McKinley Aug. 2.—A.O.L. 1,--B. F. Agamomnon. Achilles: 11.—B. F. Patroclus. 4.--B. F. 11.-N.Y.K lyo Maru. Macodonia. 7.—P. & O. 14.---B. F. Protesilana 17.—B. F. Mentor. Bept. 11.--B. F. 21.-P. &. O. Achilles. Dongola. | Oct. 2.—B. F. Phioctotes. Java 5.--P. & O. Mantua ANGELES. 10.—E.A. 19.—P. & O. Karmala. Tov. 18.---B. A. PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, MR. 20.—P. M. Pres. Pierce. MANICA 80.-T.K.K. Siber a Maru. une 18 -A. O. L. 4.—P. M. Pros. Jefferson Pres. Wilson. 9.--A.O.L. 25.—P. M. Pres. Wilson. Prose Grant. 12--T. K. K. 27.—N.V.K. Tango Maru. Taiyo Maru, West Sequent Aug. 6.-T.K.K. **29.—U.S.S.B** Tenyo Maru. 30.—A.O.L. Korea Maru. Pres. Grant. July 7.—H.A.L. Prousson. 9.—P. M. Pres. Lincoln. valparaiso. 13.-T.K.K. Talyo Marn. VEA JEPAN, HONOLULU, SAM PRANCISCO 14.—H. A. L Ermland. SAN PEDRO, SALINO CRUE, BALBAO 18.---N.Y.K. Yoshino Maru. UALLAG. ARIOA & TQUIQUE). July 10.--T.K.K. -Rakuyo Maru. St. Albana. Sept. 5,-TK K. Cinto Maru. 6.—T,K.K.` Tonyo Maru. Oct. 29.-T.K.K. Anyo Marn. 10.—B. F. Pybrrus: 16.--N.Y.K. Aki Maru. PORTLAND. SANDAKAN.

> JAVA PORTS, I.fc. June 16.—B. F. -19.—P.L. 25.--B. F. Persia Maru. July 1.—P. L. 20.—J.O.J.L Tiikembang. 5.—B. F. 81.—K.P.M. Van Overstraten. 9.—N. L. Tjibodas. 10.—D. & Co... 30.-J.O J L. '15.—B. F. 7.—Nanyo Y.K. Cheribon Maru 25.--B. F. lug. B.—B. F. INDIAN PORTS, BTC.

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Kidderpore. 15.-P. & O. Schlegien. 18.—N. L. 30.—P. & O. Soudan. Aug. 8.-P. & O. Khiva. Sicilia. 28 -- P. & O. Macedonia Mantua. AUSTRALIAN PORTS.

SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE June 27.--- N. Y. K. Tango Marti. Arafura. Yoshino Maru. 18.--N.Y.K. St. Albany. Aki Maru. Eastern. Arafuza. Delagos Maru.

16.—I.C.6.N. Entrang. Sado Maru. 17.—N.Y.K. Kashima Maru. 19.—R. 1. Tanda. Persia Marti. 20.-T.R.K. 21,—J.C.J.L Tilliboet. -Nameang. 29.-Nanvo Y. K. Macassar Maru. Yokohama Maru. 27.—A, O. L. 29.—O.P.S. Empress of Alia. 30.--T.K.K. Siberia Maru. July 1.-0.8.K. Argon Maru. Pres. Wilson. Duchessa D'Aceta. **9.—A.** O. Pres. Grant. 12.—C.P.S. Empress of Asia. 12.--T.K.K Taivo Maru. 16.-- N.Y.K. Aki Marti 🗎 Pres. Madison. City of Boston 23.—E. L. Kags Maru 14.-N.Y.K Empress of Canada.

Pres. McKinley. Aug. 2.-A. O. L. Tenyo Maru. a.-T.K.K. Empress of Russia. Iyo Maru. 16.-T.K.K. Horte Maru. June 30.—T.K.K. Pres. Wilson. July 4.—P. M. 9.—A.O.L. 12.—T.K.K. Taiyo:Maru.

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19.—₽. T. Roman Prince. Gaelio Prince. Dlomed. 7.—O.S.K. Hamburg Maru. 10.-D. & Co. WIBY Castle. Langton Hall Telemachus. Kaloma Taithy blug. SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS. DUBBAN AND CAPETOWN. (VIA SINGAPORE, BURNES ATRES, RIO DE JANEIRO, BANTOS AND MAURITIUS.) June 19.—N.Y.K. Kawachi Maru.

July 9.—0.8.K. Scattle Marn. BARCELONA & VALENCIA. July 7.—H.A.L. 14.—H.A.L. Ermland. FOR VALENCIA Jone 18.-E. A.-Malaya Panama. Bolivia. Australian.

July 6.-E A. Aug. 17.—E. A. Bept. 30.—R. A. BRINDISI: VENICE & TRIESTE.

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24.--P. & O, 27.—3. F. Derdanus. Patroclus. Sept. 4.—B. F. 7.-P. & O. Macedonia. 10.-B. F. Pyrrhus. 17.—B. F. Montor. 31.-P. &O. Dongola Mentor. 5.--P. & O. Mantua. Karmala.

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AMSTERDAM. Ouderkerk-June 20.--J.C.J.L. July 2.—E. A. '? Malaya. 16.—E. A. Panama, 15.-J.C.J.L. Oldekerk. Aug. 17.—A. E Bolivis: 31.-E. A. Australien. Sept. 20.—K. A. Java. Oct. 10.--E.A. Afrika. Nov. 16.-E.A. ·Chile.

June 18.—B. F. Adrantus. 20.—J.C J.L. 25.—B. F. Teiresiss. July 1.-G. L. Glenapp. 2.—B. F. Macbaon. Malaya. 7.—H.4.L. Prousson. 9 —B. F. Rhesus. 14.—R.A.L. Ermland.

10.—J.O.J.L Oldekerk. 16.--B. F Troilus. 16.—E. A. Panama. 17.—E. L. City of Manchester 18.—N. L Schlesien. **2**9.—B. F. Helonus. 30.—B. F Autolycus. Aug. 7.—B. F. Syrpedon. 13.—H. F. Rhezenor. 17.—E. A Bolivia. 20.—B. F. Laomedon. 27.—B. F. Dardanus 31.—E. A. Australien Eept 10.-B. F. Pyrrhus. 19.—B. P Mentor. 30.—K. A JBPA. Oct. 10.—E. A. Nev. 16.-E. A.

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Sept. 7.—P. & O Macadonia. 17---R. D. Mentor. \$1.—P. & O. Dongola. Oct. 5.-P. & O. Mantua. 19.—P. & O. Karmala.

HAMBURO: June 20.-J.O.J.L. Ouderkerk .City of Corinth. July 1.-G.L. Gierapp.

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MOVEMENT OF STEAMER.

The CPS., R.M.S. "Empress of Australia" arrived at Yokobama on June 13 st 8 p.m. left Yokohama on June 14 at 3 p.m. and is due at Hongkong on June 21 at 7 a.m.

> Passengers. DEPARTURES.

Per C.P.S., R.M.S. Empress of Russis" on June 14:—Rev. J.C. Adams, Mrs A. Arianna, Mr and Mrs C. E. Bacon Mr. P. Beddingfeld, Mr D., G. Bruca, Mrs Allan Cameron, Mr. D. J. Cuthill, Mrs. Davis, Mr G. G. Hoppeler, Miss N. E. Jones, Mr and Mrs R. Roen, Mr R. P. Reor, Mr Fun Lai. Mrs M. O. Logan, Miss A. MacAuler. Mr V. V. McGuinn. Mr J. J. McLovey, Hon. and Mrs E. V. D. Parr. Masera Eldon Potter. O. R. Powrle, Chong Quan, J. R. Hedforn, E. Rice, J. Robinson, Mrs Law Shee, Mr R. Mile G. Chandlers, Mr T. O. Chour. Mr except on Saturdays when it is dropped K. M. Cheng Mr Chan Chow, Miss I. and F. Clarke, Miss Clog. Mr M. N Crittall. Mr and Mrs P H. Crittall Mr H: R. Dougherty, Mr W. W. Fair, Miss R. M. Frost, Mr Vung. Mise W. d. Gui, Mr F. C. Hagordon, Mr Wongl C. Ham, Mr Hang Fat, Mrs D. Harding Miss A. B. C. Hagerdon, Mr Wongl C. Haus, Mr Hag Pat, Mrs D. Harding Miss A. B. Howard Mr D. Wable. Mrs Koo Sing Ran, Mr Wong Pok Ray, Mr Ho Sing Kim. Mrs S. Kum, Mrs Qui Ruem, Mr Should the Time Ball be out of order. T. P. Lai Mr J. H. Lee, Col. E. Lundon. the above routine will be carried on Miss W. Lee, Mr A. Lee Linn, Mrs N.

Leight, Mr H. A. Meyer, Mr G. T.

O'Neill Mrs L. Fun, Mr L. sRadmayne

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WEATHER REPORT.

June 14d. 16h. 50m. Warning 🕶 Hongkong, Coast Ports, &c. Dep ression or typhoon of unknown tensity within 120 miles of Later N. Long. 134° B., moving W. N. W. June 15d. 13h. com, — Warning 🗫 Hongkong, Coast Ports, &c. Typhoon of unknown intensity within 120 miles of Lat. 13° N. Louis 133° E., moving North. June 15d. 13h. 05m. Prossure

ivostock to Foochow. It has increased slightly at other reporting The depression over S. W. Chios. is shallower this morning.

has decreased slightly from Wize

At 6 a.m. typhoon was in about. Lat. 13° N. and Long 133° E., move ing Northward.

Hongkong rainfall for the 24 bours ending at 10 s.m. to-day, 1.80 inch. Total since January 1st. 24 10 inches; against an average of 30.96 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending a noon on June 16, 1913. 1-Formosa Chanrel. moderate : generally cloudy. " I House' coass' of Cains, between Hongkous and Lamnels. E. moderato k generally cloudy. 3 -Hongkong to Gar Rock. winds, moderate ; generally cloudy. 4.—Bouth coars of Unine besween Honekoog and Halman. E. winds, moderate; generally cloudy.

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passing showers, q squall, r sain, s suce thunder v visibility w dew, wet. 7. Rang to inches tenths and no

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HONGKONG TIME SIGNALS

The Time Ball on Kowloon Signal Hi L. Shen on, Lady Stubbe, Mr. P. Bossut, is dropped daily at 10 a.m. and 4 perc. at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. and on Sundayed

and Holidays when it is dropped at The Ball is hoisted half must at 55th minute and full must at the 57th minute. Should the ball fall to drop we

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Instead of the "Rev. Mr." mentioned in innumerable worlding announcements, it was the Rev. Miss Norman Brown who performed the wedding ceremony when Miss Helen L. Rogers, her cousin, became the bride there of Arthur Neal. Miss Brown was ordained a minister when only 18. She comes from a family of clergymen.



Baby June Hoeft bravely smiles and coos as she lies on her back in the hospital, recovering from a broken femur in her leg. The baby is not quite one year old and bears the pain and suffering of this uncomfortable position, with weights suspended from her leg until it heals at the proper length again. A fall off a table caused the break.



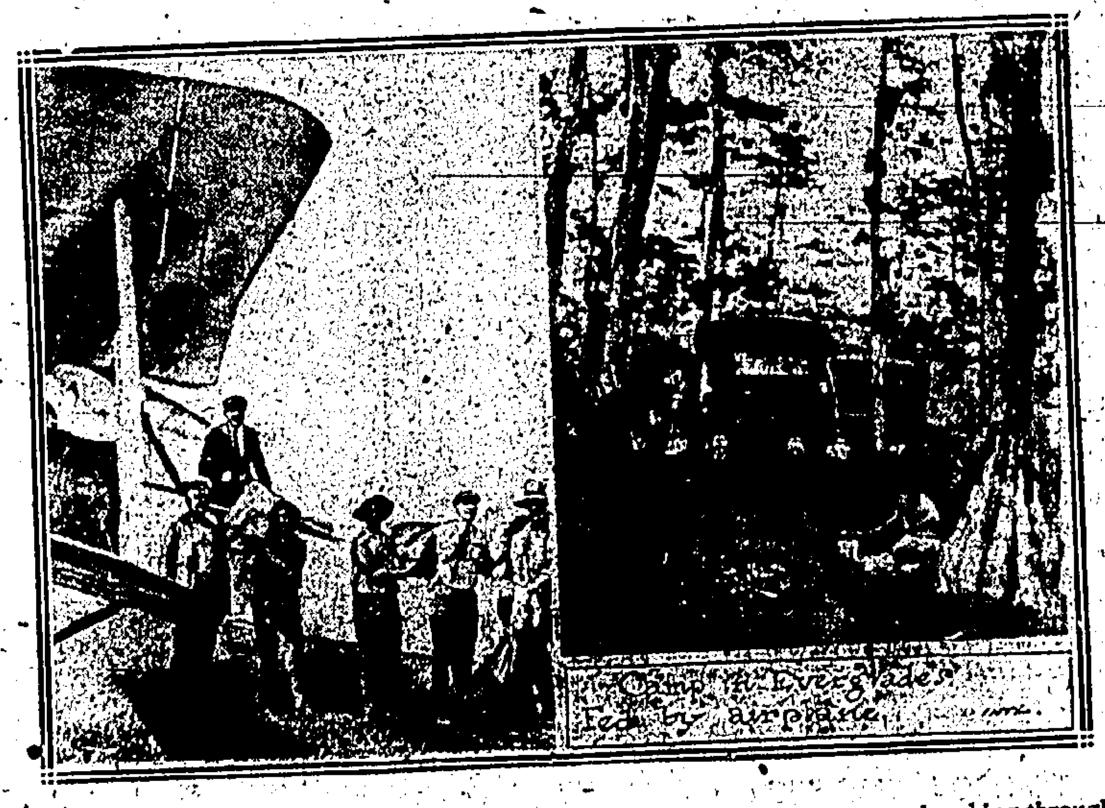
if the baby would live.



The biennial council of the General Federation of Women's Clubs met on May 7, Mrs. Thomas G, Winter, President-General, presided, and spoke on "Spiritual Forces." Mrs. Lessie Stringfellow Read, chairman of the National Press Department and Editor of The General Federation News, made an addresson "Why Publicity?" Mrs. Mark Oberndorfer, National Music Chalman, wife of a famous composer, spoke on "Opera in our Own Language" Miss Lida Hafford, Director of the General Federation also made an address.



Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon chose an elaborate trousseau for her marriage to the Duke of York. These pictures show a portion of her gowns and hats. One of the hats is a black crinoline straw, with laurel wreaths above the crown, veiled with a dead leaf green chiffon. Another is of green strew, trimmed with dark green grapes, the brim being lined with blue taffeta. As the new Duchess is an ardent sportswoman, one of her gowns is a knitted golfing suit of fawn-coloured wool.



Hewing their way through almost impenetrable cypress forests and swamps, ploughing through soft mud and being hauled by a tractor, a party of 25 men and women, in seven motor cars, recently attempted to blaze a trail through the hitherto unexplored Everglades, of Florida, to connect Tampa and Miami. Deserted by their superstitious Seminole guides, the party was in dire straits for days, unable to advance seemingly dead, which was revived by four injections of adrenalin or retreat, and without food or water. Finally three of the explorers broke through on foot and told their nacelle of the "bus," was loaded with food and rushed to the rescue of a pitiful story. Aeroplanes, loaded with food, found them 40 miles from Miami, while other aeroplanes party of woodmen marooned on South Fox Island, 20 miles off shore The announcement was withheld for two weeks, in order to ascertain provided them with gasoline and supplies, and they finally made their way through. All had to go to They had been held prisoner all winter by ice. Miller was unable to hospital suffering from exhaustion and from mosquito and chigger bites.



Frederick I Moon must accept \$15 a month alimony from his wife,

Mrs. Ethel Lou Moon. If he refuses to take the money, Moon will be

t, locked up. He cannot "see" taking money from a woman, but, because

the is ill, the Court ordered him to take it. Mrs. Moon told the Court,

in fighting the alimony, that "any man who would take money from a

in fighting the alimony, that "any man who would take money from a

woman ought to be tarred and feathered!" But she has to pay, just

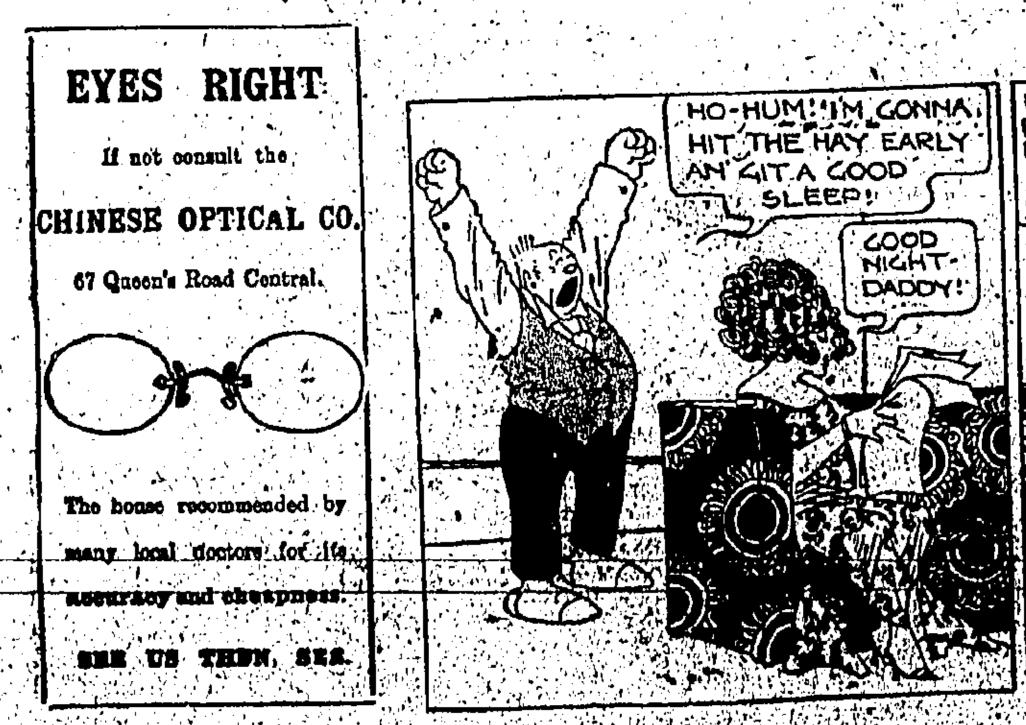


"By the beard of the Prophet" is a saying as old as the custom of blessing the beard of the Sultan of Turkey, who is head of the Mohammedan Church. The new Sultan, having raised a beard of proper and authorized length went to the Selamlik, where the said beard received holy blessings during divine services. The ceremony is part of an ancient custom and is marked by simple yet impressive. rites. The Sultan, on horseback, is shown leaving the temple.



This aeroplane piloted by John Miller, shown in rear of 'the

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MISSING SEALS.

CHINESE PRESIDENT DETAINED.

RESIGNATION DENIED.

TIENTSIN, June 13. Li Yuan-hung's train was stopped

been left in Poking.

President's departure. Apparently to walk without fatigue from the the President is being held at the train to the motor car. - Reuter. station until the seals have actually been located.

Sun Chi-lien, Secretary of The President, interviewed by Reuter, said the President had not resigned. I meetings yesterday and two to-day. He was merely visiting Tientsin. The letters Li Yuan-hung sent to two Committees recently in connec Parliament did not contain his re- tion with Lincheng, one consisting signation.—Reuter.

» NEW CABINET ATTEMPT. PEKING, June 13. In spite of the resignations Feng Yu-haiang and Wang Huaiattempted to remain at his post.

A meeting was held this morning, at which prominent people discussed meeting it was decided to send in the formation of a Cabinet.

a message came saying that unless for a reply regarding the suggested President Li Yuan-hung left office Military Commission for the protectroops would be brought into the tion of the main trunk lines. Courcity to compel him to go.

President Li Yuan-hung then decided to leave for his home at Tientsin.

Shortly after one o'clock six motor-cars were observed in Morrison Street going like the wind towards the Legation Quarter.

President Li Yuanshung was " ting bolt upright and calm in the middle car. He proceeded to the station and took a special train for Tientsin at 1.30 this afternoon. Courtesy Daily Bulletin.

MINISTER OF INTERIOR IN CHARGE.

PERING, June 13. The members of the Cabinet which "resigned en bloc on June 6!] Peking, this evening, decided that according to the Constitution, when and may be expected to arrive here on there is no President, the Premier should take over State uffairs, or, failing him, the Foreign Minister, but as at present there is neither Premier nor a Foreign Minister, the Minister of the Interior should take

the Provinces to-night informing on June 18, them of this decision.—Courtesy The N.Y.K. a.s. Kawachi Maru Daily Bulletin.

ORDER IN PEKING. Pering, June 13.

General Wang Huai-ching informed Parliament and the Chain- and is expected here on June 18. ber of Commerce that he will be responsible for order in Peking.-Courtesy Daily Bulletin. PRESIDENT RELEASED.

TIENTSIN, June 14. The President was released at Australia left Vancouver for Hongkong night a special train left for Peking expected here on June 20.

with the President's private Secretaries who persuaded Madame Li to hand over the seals to police repregentatives. On receipt of a telegram announc-

ing that this had been done the President was allowed to proceed on June 24. from the Station whence he was taken to his residence in the British Concession.

FENG YU-HSIANG RESIGNS.

PEKING, June 13. Feng Yu-bsiang and Wang Huaiching resigned this afternoon, giving as their reason the non-payment of their troops.

President Li Yuan-hung sent de- June 20 being due at the latter pott on legates to ask them to reconsider July 12. their decision, but so for they persist, thus further embarrassing the President .- Courtesy Daily Bulle-

CHAOTIC CHINA. ,

LONDON, June 18. The Times Peking correspondent, commenting on the situation, which the Lincheng outrage is symptomal Cargo by the a.s. "City of Manchester" the Lincheng outrage is symptomic remaining undelivered after June 18 will tie, urges the necessity for inspiring be subject to rent. Damaged goods will the Tuchuns with a fear of retribution be examined on any Tuesdays between show of firmness to restore foreign storage period of one week. Agents,prestige. The essential need is for Benk Line Ltd. a small increase in the foreign remaining undelivered after June 18 will be subject to rent. Damaged goods will be examined at 10 a.m. on that date. ers will be followed by the occupa- Agenta-Dodwell and Co., Ltd. tion of the railways. If the present opportunity is neglected a full-blown military expedition will be neces | Safe, Sure, Always Cures. sary, followed by concequences that Do not suffer from cramp colin or pain cannot be foretold. Chose who in the stomach when Chamberlain's cannot be foreign intervention in Colic and Discribes Remady goes to the right spot and gives immediate relief.

Chins is outside the realms of probability and merely closing their systems are subject to attacks of this kind. For

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Renter's Service to the China Mail.) (Renter's Service to the China Mail.)

bafe again. LINCHENG CAPTIVES

SHANGHAI'S WILD ENTHUSIASM

WELCOMED.

SHANGHAL, June 14. A very large crowd gathered at and sprrounded by soldiers at the the Shanghai station late last night Central Station because it was found and with wild enthusiasm welthe Presidential seals were missing comed the returned captives. The band played "Here the Conquering The President explained that he Hero Comes." Madly cheering did not have the seals. They had the people rushed the captives and raised them shoulder high and car-It transpires that Madam Li took ried them into the waiting motor the seals to the French Hospital in cars. All the captives are well, Mr. the Legation quarter previous to the Musso used crutches but he was able

EARLIER NEWS/

PEKING, June 12. The Diplomatic Corps held two It is understood that they formed of the British, American, French and Italian Ministers, to discuss indemnities, and the other, consisting of of the same four Ministers and the Belgian. Dutch Land Japanese ching yesterday, the President still Ministers, to discuss the protection

of foreigners and the railways. It is understood that at to-day is another Note demanding the speedy It is understood that about 12.30 release of the captives, and asking tesy Daily Bulletin.

MOVEMENT OF STEAMERS.

The C.P.S., R.M.S. "Empress of Australia" arrived at Yokohama on June The B. F. s.s. "Perseus" left Port

Said on June 10 for London, Hull, Rot terdam and Hamburg. The N.Y.K. s.s "Yokohams Maru (American Line) left Shanghai for Hongkong on June 13 and is expected here to-

The P. & O. s.s. "Jeypore" left Shanghai for this port on Wednesday June 13 at 10 s.m. and is due here to-morrow at about 3 p.m. The B. L. s.s. "Benderan" from Mid

dlesbro,' Antwerp and London left Sing spore for this port via Manila on June 6 Sunday June 17. The O.P.S. R.M.S. "Empress of

Canada ' ardyed at Yokohama on June 8 a.m. left Yokohama on Jone 9 p.m. and is due at Vancouver on June 18. The B. F. s.s. "Advastus" for London

Rotterdam and Hamburg left changhai on June 18 and is due here on June 16. 'A telegram is being despatched to The vessel will be despatched at 3 p.m. (South American Line) left Moji for Hongkong on June 13 and is expected

here on June 18. The N.Y.K. s.s. "Kashima Maru (European Line) left London for Hougkong via Marseilles and ports on blay 12

The B. L. s.s. "Benninnes" from Middlesbra. Antwerp and London left Penang for this port on June 9 and may be expected to arrive here on or about June 19. The C.P.S., R.M.S. "Empress of

via Japan ports, Shanghai, on May 31 four o'clock this morning. Late last is due at Yokohama on June 12 and is

The B. F. s.s. "Helenus" left Liver pool on May 19 for Singapore, Hongkong, Shanghai and Japan and is due here on

The N.Y.K. s.s. " Moji Maru" (Calcutta Line) left Calcutta for Hongkong via ports on June 8 and is expected here

The N.Y.K. s.s. "Hakodate Maru" (Bombay Line) left Bombay for Hongkong via ports on June 9 and is expected here on June 27.

The B. F. s.s. "Rhexener" left Liverpool on May 26 for Hongkong, Shanghai and Japan and is due here on June "?. The B. F. s.s. "Autolycus" left Liverpool on June 2 for Hongkong, Shanghai and Hankow and is due here on or about

The P. M. s.s. "President Pierce" sailed from San Francisco for the Orient with full complement of passengers and cargo, she arrives Hongkong, homeward. on June 18 sailing for Pan Francisco on

The N.Y.K. a.e. "Sawa Maru" (European Line) left London for Hongkong via Marseilles and ports on June 9 and is expected bere on July 16. The B. F. s.s. "Hyson" laft New York on June 6 for Suez, Straits, Manila and Hongkong and is due here on or

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TUESDAY, JUNE 26.

MANACLED PRISONERS.

Interviewed this morning with

POLICE VAN DUE HERE SHORTLY.

regard to the suggestion voiced in the China Mail that more modern methods of bringing prisonors from out-districts to the Central Police Station should be adopted, the Captain Superintendent of Police, Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, said that this had been attended to some time ago but delay by the Crown Agents in sending out a Dennis chassis had made it necessary for the old practice to remain still in force. Mr. Wolfe added that a Ford van was sent out last November for prisoners and transport work in the New Territories. As the need on the island was more pressing the van had been used here till quite recently when it was noticed that the van would not stand the strain of work on the steep roads, especi-

ally when carrying heavy loads. In last year's estimates, a Dennis chassis to be made into a prison van, had been provided for, but it had not arrived yet. It could also be used for carrying stores and would be very useful. However, it was not expected to be here for another two months.

A Reuter cable from London today states that the Lord Chancellor, Viscount Cave, has been operated on for peritonitis. His condition is satisfactory.

Taking with her the best wishes of the community, Lady Stubbs, left the Colony yesterday by the s.s. "Empress of Russia" and expects to be away for about five months. She will proceed across Canada and sail from Montreal on the "Empress of Scotland" to England.

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HONGKONG NOTES AND COMMENT.

CHEAP SALE OF ROUND BARS.

On June 9 there arrived in the Colony a lot of 500 tons round steel bars, the sizes being $\frac{1}{4}$ ", $\frac{3}{4}$ ", $\frac{3}{4}$ ", $\frac{3}{4}$ ", $\frac{3}{4}$ ", and 1". These were imported by a dealer direct for his own account and the difference between his cost price and present quotations is considerable. It is reported that 50 tons have been sold at \$4.60 blthough the nominal quotations range about

Several small lots of tinplates have arrived but prices have receded further, to-day's quotation being about \$10.20 with hardly anything doing in spite of this being the fruit launches, sampans, etc. Moreover, the price of ninety, has been season in the interior.

The foregoing are merely given as fares must cross the open to board instances of the duliness of the the boats. If the Government attails metals markets, which in common with practically all other trades is adversely affected by the disturbed conditions in the interior. MOTOR BOAT SERVICE.

gestion in connection with the motor-boot service in the barbour which may be of interest to those concerned. He points out that there are at present between ten and twenty different companies each operating a number of boats which ing the number of boats lying idle. and piers. It is suggested that as great-improvements have been made in the ferry service between Hongkong, Yaumati, Shamsuipo, Hung- out cheaper than it costs now. hom. Rowloon City; etc., since the Again, when one company has the Government took over control. would benefit all concerned if a system under one central authority better arranged, this being another were devised for the motor-bosts. factor which should count towards

At some of the wheres where

motor-boats ply for hire there is very little - patronage and it is believed that they could be more profitably employed doing other work. Seafarers have to week, but prices have remained engage boats for trips, the charge firm says the at present being on a basis of \$2.40 an hour, with special rates for trips across the harbour.

Briefly, the plan is this. A num-

intervals and thus obviate the neces. a slackening off as regards Greys sity of each man having to engage and Whites. a boat to go to his own ship. The landings used at present are none too satisfactory. A motor-boat wishing to get alongside for a fare to jump in must take its chance in a medley of in-coming and outgoing traffic which includes loan of sixty-five million florins, at no shelter is provided and in rain, heavily oversubscribed.—Reuter. the boats. If the Government, at a fixed charge, could set aside certain. wharves or steps for motor-bosts; most of the inconveniences suffered at present could be avoided and the approaches to the steps could be covered in to give protection against

A business man has made a sug-1 the weather. Of course, a fee for the monopoly would have to be charged but it is thought that the expense for adequate supervision could be met by savings offected in eliminating competition and reducbound to appreciate a regular service ten per cent and small applicants covering all the boats at moorings 25 per cent and the rate per hood would work monopoly for a stated period, docking and repair facilities could be

reducing expenses.

PIECE GOODS,

It has been a much easier News of June 9. Greys now are firmer than ever on account of the very short supplies. Adverse exber of boats could lie clong the change put a stop to some business busier wharves as they are doing that otherwise might have been now, to cater for the non-regular done. Manchester again is reported traffic. For the ships in harbour, to be very high. There is still some a regular schedule could be framed forward business in Fancies being which would cover the moorings at put through, though there has been

DUTCH-INDIES LOAN.

AMSTERDAM, June 14. The Dutch-Indies five per cent.

LONDON, June 14 The mark has slumped to 462,500 to the pound sterling.

Masks are now 492,500. - Reuter.

AUSTRIAN LOAN.

The Austrian loan is at 5 per cent premium on the Stock Exare assigned to the different wharves. The sea-firing community would be change. Big applicants obtained

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